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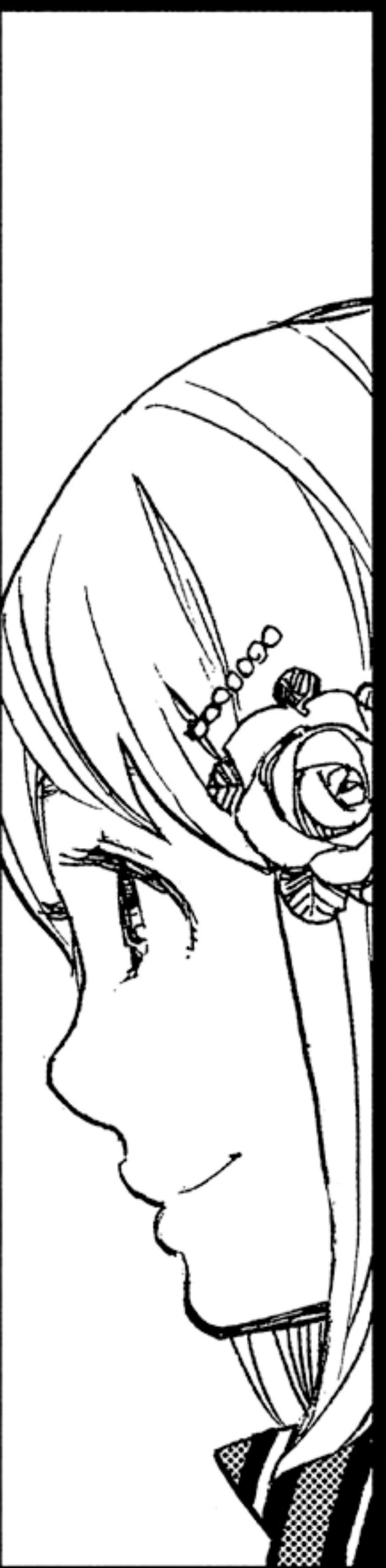
RIN OKUMURA

Born of a human mother and Satan, the God of Demons, Rin Okumura has powers he can barely control. After Satan kills Father Fujimoto, Rin's foster father, Rin decides to become an Exorcist so he can someday defeat Satan. Now a first-year student at True Cross Academy and an Exwire at the Exorcism Cram School, he hopes to someday become a Knight. When he draws the Koma Sword, he manifests his infernal power in the form of blue flames.



YUKIO OKUMURA

Rin's brother. Hoping to become a doctor, he's a genius who is the youngest student ever to become an instructor at the Exorcism Cram School. An instructor in Demon Pharmaceuticals, he possesses the titles of Doctor and Dragoon. Todo told him that his true nature is that of a demon.



SHIEMI MORIYAMA

Daughter of the owner of Futsumaya, an Exorcist supply shop. She possesses the ability to become a Tamer and can summon a baby Greenman named Nee. She decided to quit the Exorcism Cram School, but she hasn't revealed the reason why.



RYUJI SUGURO

Heir to the venerable Buddhist sect known as Myodha in Kyoto. He wants to achieve the titles of Dragoon and Aria. He is Lightning's apprentice and they are conducting an investigation together.



RENZO SHIMA

Once a pupil of Suguro's father and now Suguro's friend. Currently, he is a double agent providing information to both the Illuminati and the Knights of the True Cross.



KONEKOMARU MIWA

He was once a pupil of Suguro’s father and is now Suguro’s friend. He’s an Exwire who hopes to become an Exorcist someday. He is small in size and has a quiet and composed personality.



IZUMO KAMIKI

An Exwire with the blood of shrine maidens. She has the ability to become a Tamer and can summon two white foxes. The Illuminati had taken her captive, but with help from Rin and the others, she escaped and settled her grudge against the insane professor Gedoin.



NORIKO PAKU

An old friend of Kamiki. The two girls joined the Exorcism Cram School together, but Paku dropped out when she couldn’t keep up. Now she takes classes in the general curriculum at True Cross Academy Private High School.



SHURA KIRIGAKURE

A Senior Exorcist First Class who holds the titles of Knight, Tamer, Doctor and Aria. Rin and Yukio helped free her from a contract entered into by her ancestor.



MEPHISTO PHELES

President of True Cross Academy and head of the Exorcism Cram School. He was Father Fujimoto’s friend, and now he is Rin and Yukio’s guardian. The number two power in Gehenna and known as Samael, King of Time.



LEWIN LIGHT

As Arch Knight, he is Arthur’s right-hand man as well as number two in the Order. An expert in Arias and summoning, he goes by the nickname “Lightning.” He is currently stationed at the Japan Branch to investigate the Illuminati.



DRAC DRAGULESCU

An Arch Knight at the Romania Branch and the director of K.R.C. Laboratory. He appears to have played a central role in clone research at Section 13, however...



JUZO SHIMA

Second son of the Shima family. A Senior Buddhist Exorcist Second Class holding the classifications of Knight and Aria. After the defeat of the Impure King, he and Mamushi got engaged.



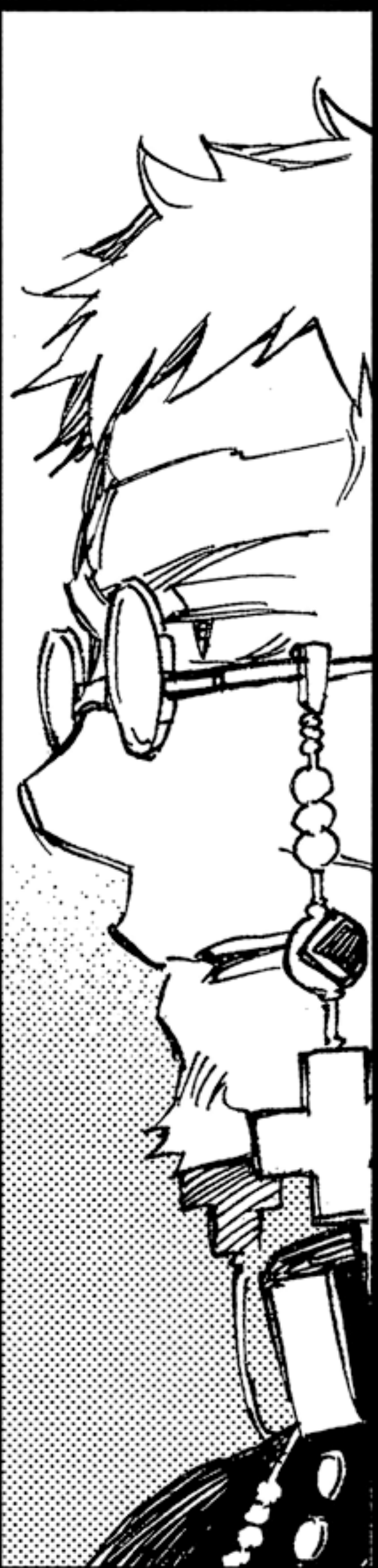
KINZO SHIMA

The fourth son of the Shima family. An Intermediate Buddhist Exorcist Second Class holding the classifications of Knight and Aria. He's quick to fight and often grows violent with Renzo for no apparent reason.



MAMUSHI HOJO

The eldest daughter of the Hojo family. The Order expelled her for the crime of cooperating with Todo during the Impure King incident.



SHIRO FUJIMOTO

The man who raised Rin and Yukio. He held the rank of Paladin, but Satan possessed him and he gave his life defending Rin. There is a possibility that he was a clone of Azazel created by Section 13.



KURO

A Cat Sídhhe who was once Shiro's familiar. After Shiro's death, he began turning back into a demon. Rin saved him, and now the two are practically inseparable. His favorite drink is the catnip wine Shiro used to make.

❀ THE STORY SO FAR ❀

UNKNOWN TO RIN OKUMURA, BOTH HUMAN AND DEMON BLOOD RUNS IN HIS VEINS. IN AN ARGUMENT WITH HIS FOSTER FATHER, FATHER FUJIMOTO, RIN LEARNS THAT SATAN IS HIS TRUE FATHER. SATAN SUDDENLY APPEARS AND TRIES TO DRAG RIN DOWN TO GEHENNA BECAUSE RIN HAS INHERITED HIS POWER. FATHER FUJIMOTO FIGHTS TO DEFEND RIN, BUT DIES IN THE PROCESS. RIN DECIDES TO BECOME AN EXORCIST SO HE CAN SOMEDAY DEFEAT SATAN AND BEGINS STUDYING AT THE EXORCISM CRAM SCHOOL UNDER THE INSTRUCTION OF HIS TWIN BROTHER YUKIO, WHO IS ALREADY AN EXORCIST.

RIN AND THE OTHERS SUCCEED IN DEFEATING THE IMPURE KING, AWAKENED BY THE FORMER EXORCIST, TODO. MEANWHILE, YUKIO FIGHTS TODO, AND AS THE BATTLE RAGES, HE SENSES THE SAME FLAME IN HIS OWN EYES AS HIS BROTHER. AFRAID, HE KEEPS IT A SECRET.

LATER, MYSTERIOUS EVENTS BEGIN OCCURRING AROUND THE GLOBE ORCHESTRATED BY A SECRET SOCIETY KNOWN AS THE ILLUMINATI.

LIGHTNING AND SUGURO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION ON THEIR OWN INTO THE ILLUMINATI AND DISCOVER A PLACE CALLED ASYLUM ON ACADEMY GROUNDS. ASYLUM WAS THE PREVIOUS INCARNATION OF THE EXORCISM CRAM SCHOOL OF THE KNIGHTS OF THE TRUE CROSS. THERE, THEY LEARN THE SHOCKING TRUTH THAT THE ORDER WAS PRODUCING HOSTS FOR POSSESSION BY THE DEMON KINGS.

MEANWHILE, ON ORDERS FROM MEPHISTO, SHIMA INFILTRATES THE ILLUMINATI TO SUPPLY INFORMATION TO BOTH SIDES, AND YUKIO GRADUALLY BECOMES MORE OBSESSED WITH THE PROGRESS OF LIGHTNING AND SUGURO'S INVESTIGATION. TO MAKE MATTERS EVEN MORE UNSETTLING, SHIEMI HAS ANNOUNCED HER DECISION TO NOT BECOME AN EXORCIST. IN AN ATTEMPT TO CHANGE THIS DOWNBEAT MOOD, THE EXWIRES DECIDE TO HOLD A COMBINED BIRTHDAY/CHRISTMAS PARTY...



CHAPTER 89: HAPPY (MERRY XMAS) BIRTHDAY!







LET'S ALL GO
CHANGE CLOTHES
AND MEET BACK
HERE LATER!

OKAY!



I GOT THIS
FOR 30 YEN
NEAR THE
STATION!

HOW'RE
YOU GONNA
DRESS,
YUKIO?



PFFT! I
FIGURED
AS MUCH!

I DON'T LIKE
TO CHANGE
CLOTHES, SO
I'M GOING
LIKE THIS.



THERE!
WE'RE ALL
READY!

I'M
GETTING
EXCITED!

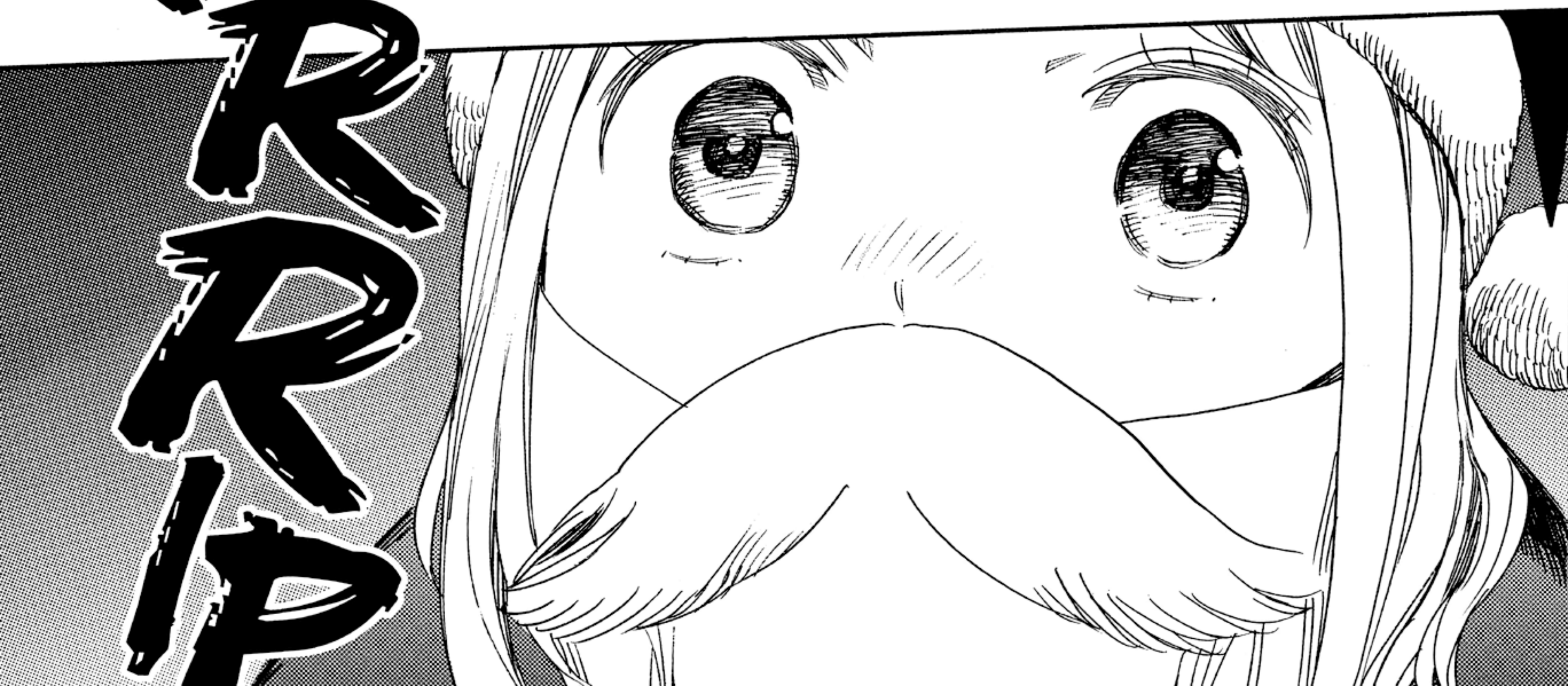
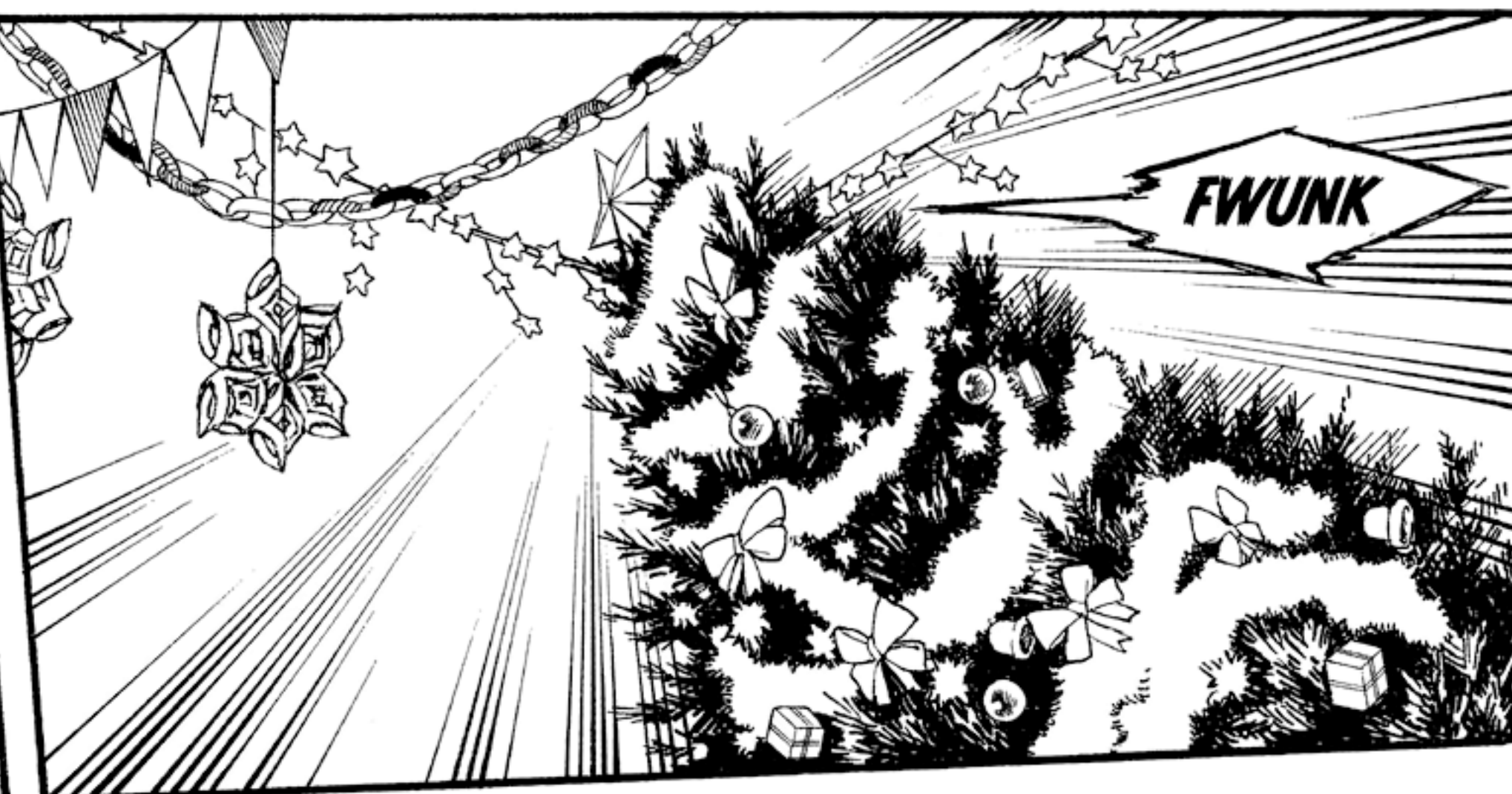
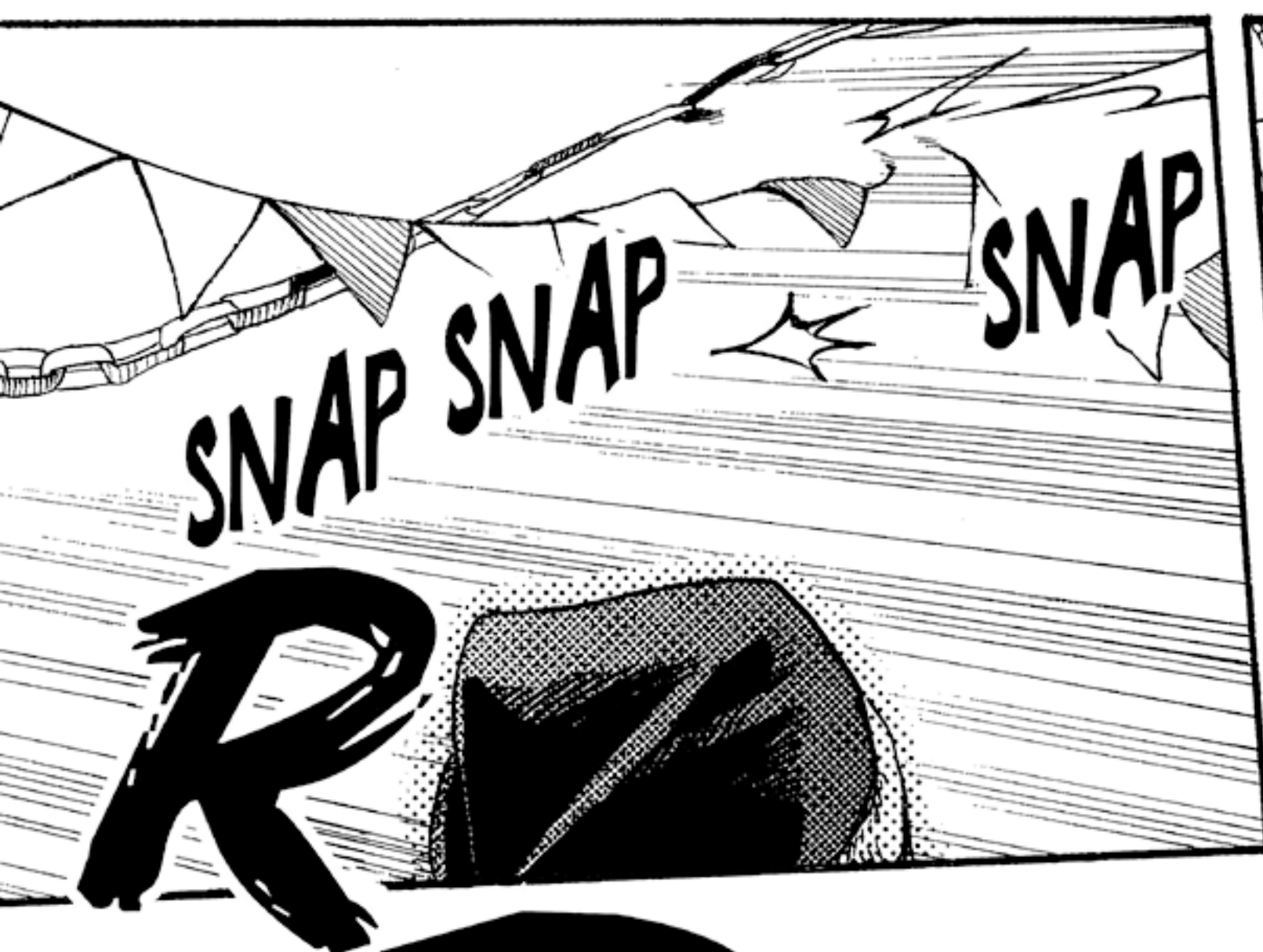
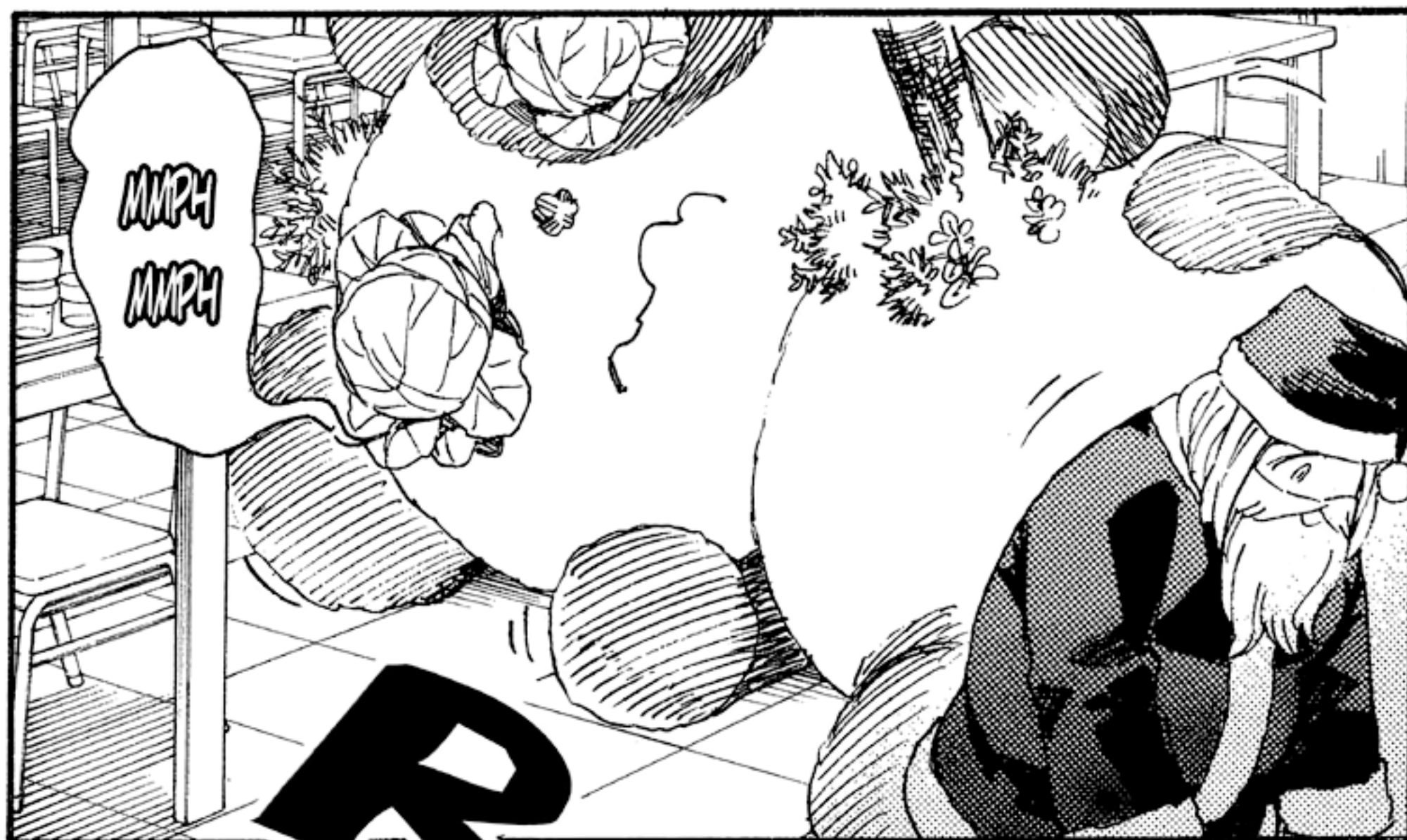
ISN'T
THIS FUN,
BON?

ME
NEITHER!

A FIR TREE...
I'VE NEVER
CELEBRATED
CHRISTMAS
LIKE THIS!

WOW...











SHIEMI !!



UH-OH!

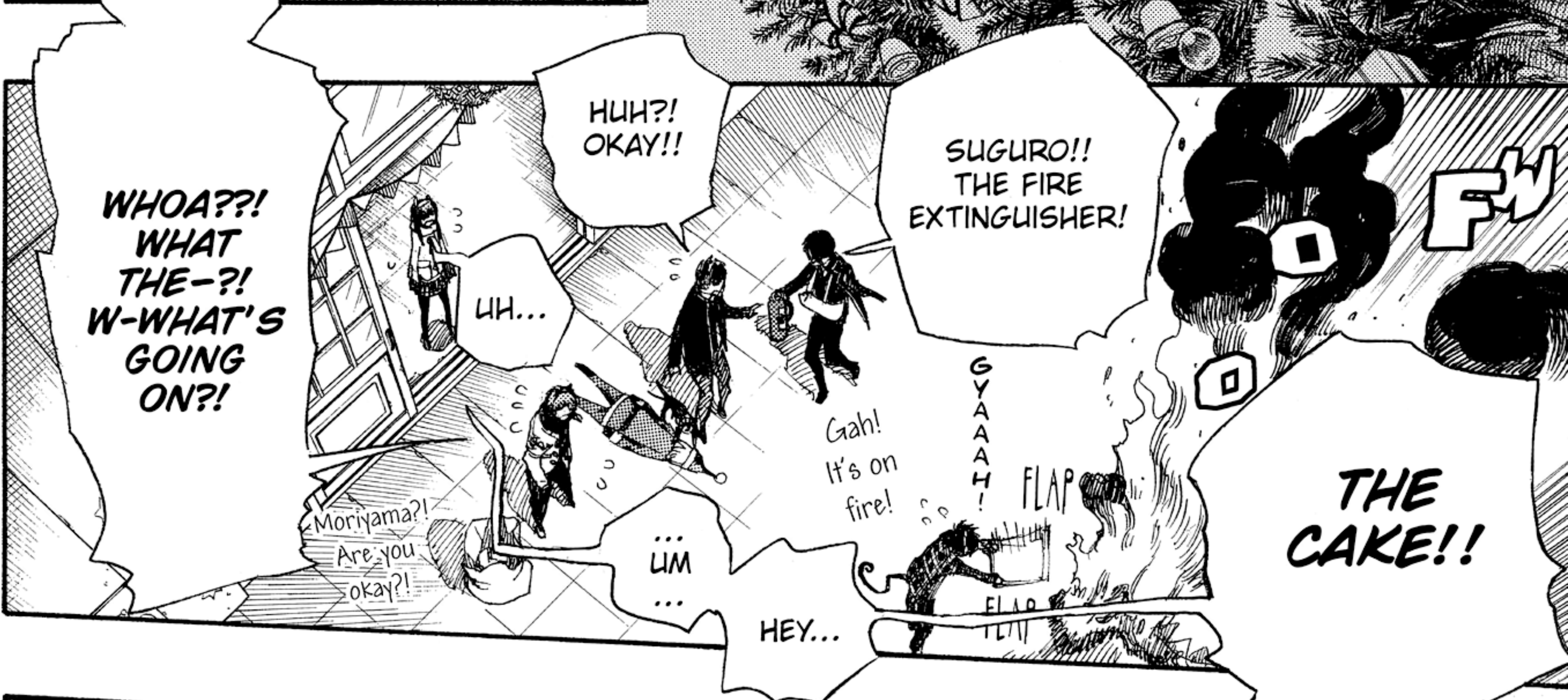
Y A A A A H !!



FWO OSH

THE TREE AND NEE ARE-

HUH?!



WHOA??!
WHAT THE-?!
W-WHAT'S GOING ON?!

HUH?!
OKAY!!

SUGURO!!
THE FIRE EXTINGUISHER!

Gah!
It's on fire!

GYAAAH!

THE CAKE!!

Moriyama?!
Are you okay?!

... LIM ...

HEY...

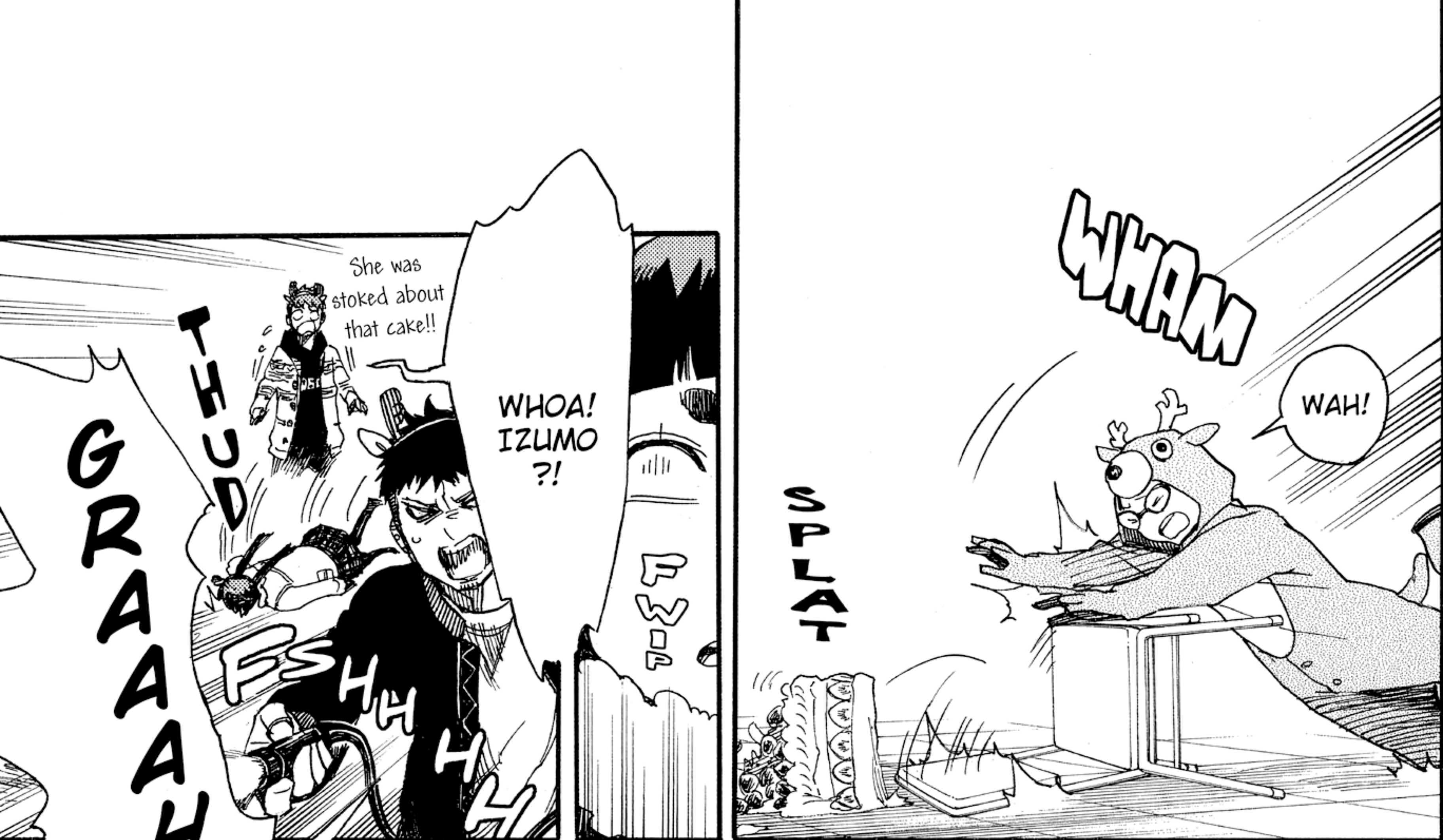


WHOOOPS!

SORRY I'M LATE, GUYS!

PHEW!
IT'S SAFE!

THE CAKE FROM SHIN-GETSUDO!!







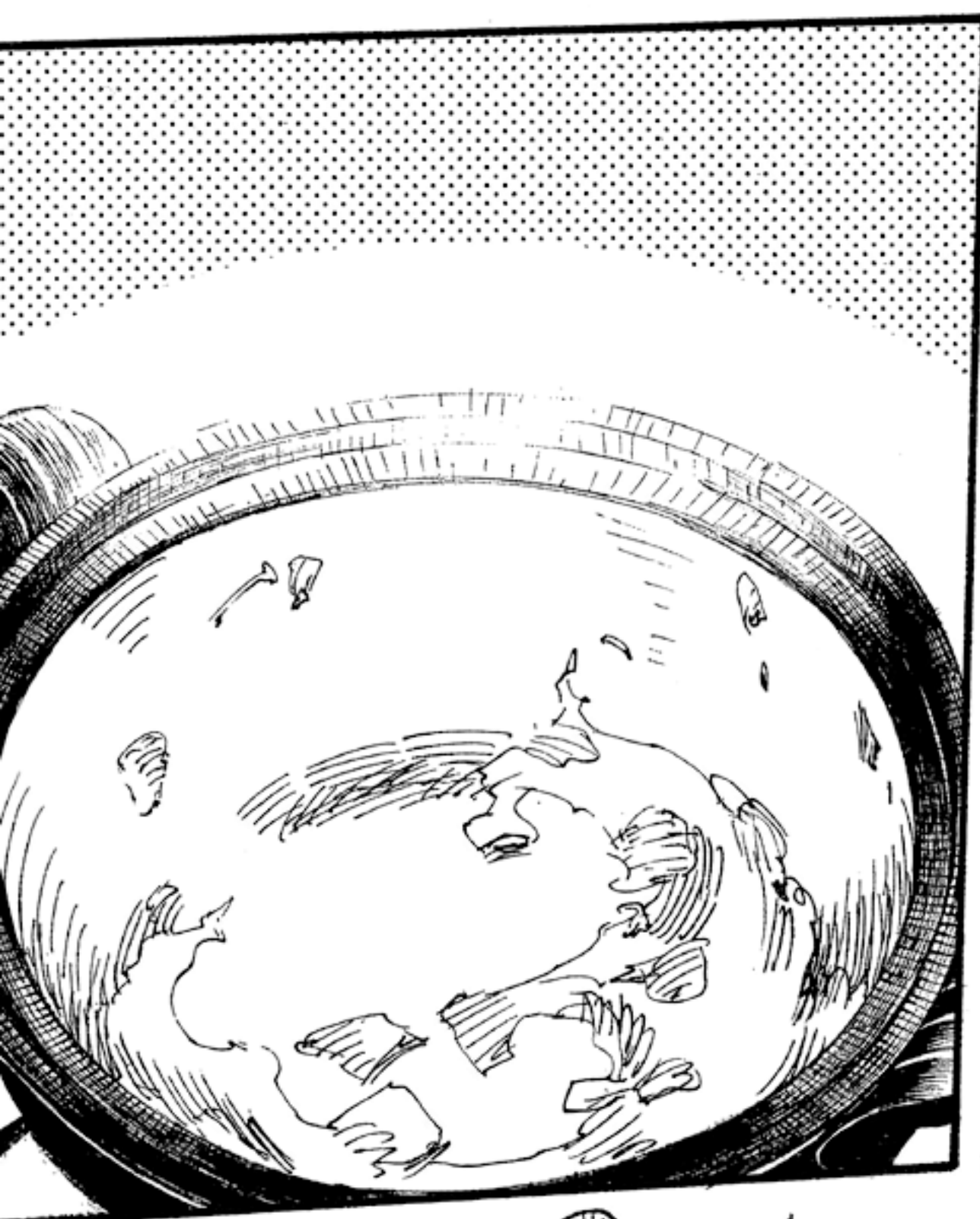
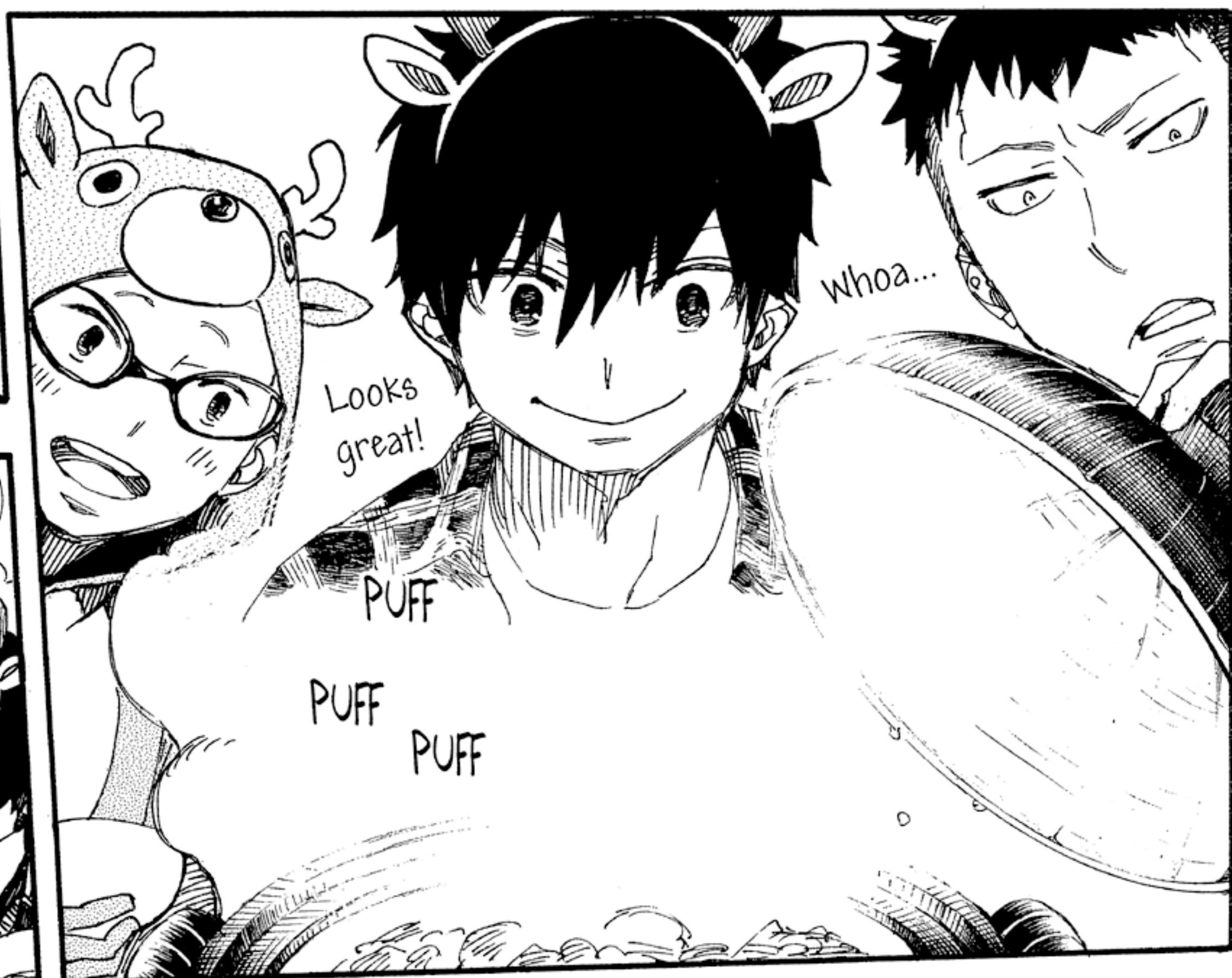
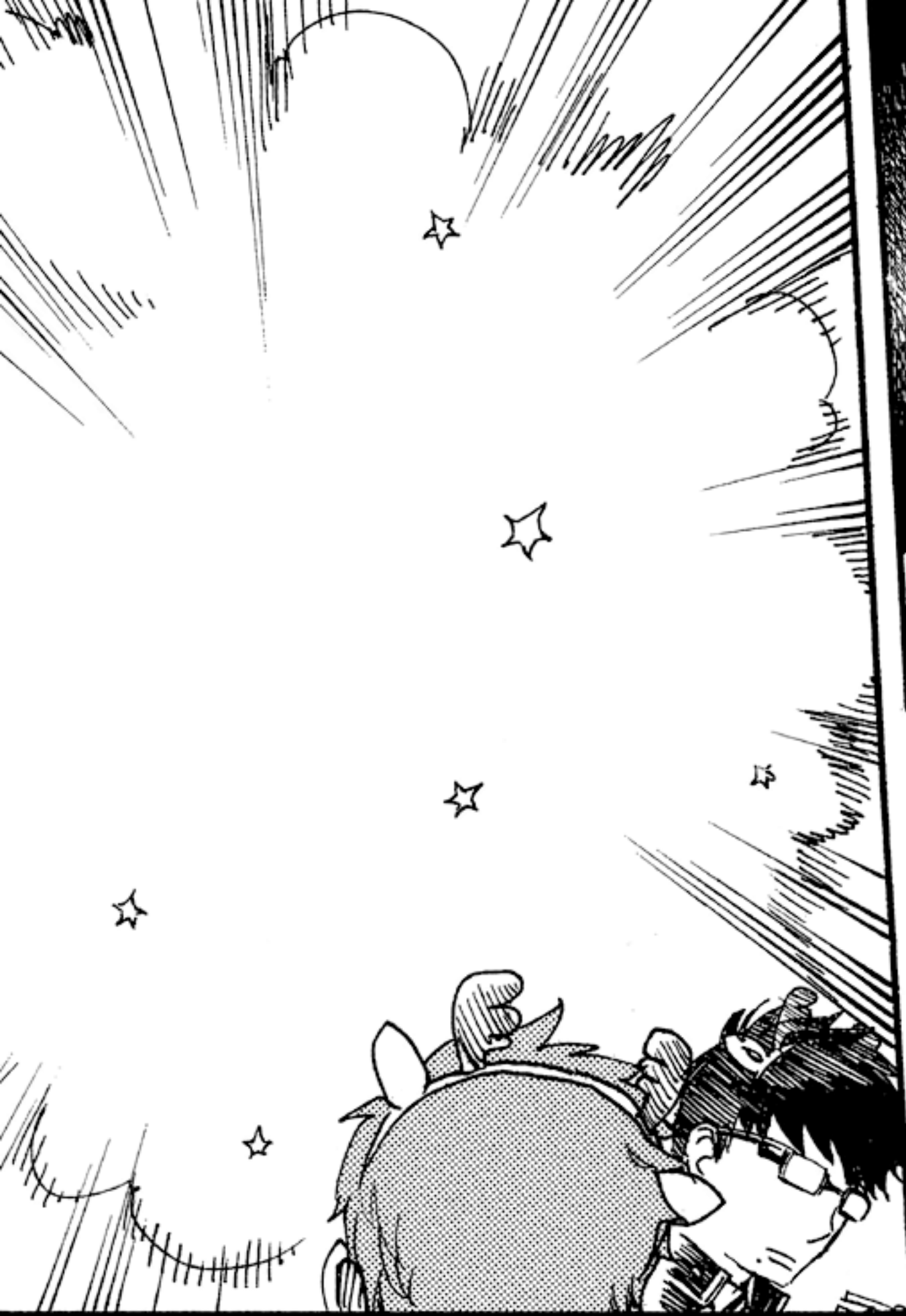
LET'S GET
THIS PARTY
STARTED!

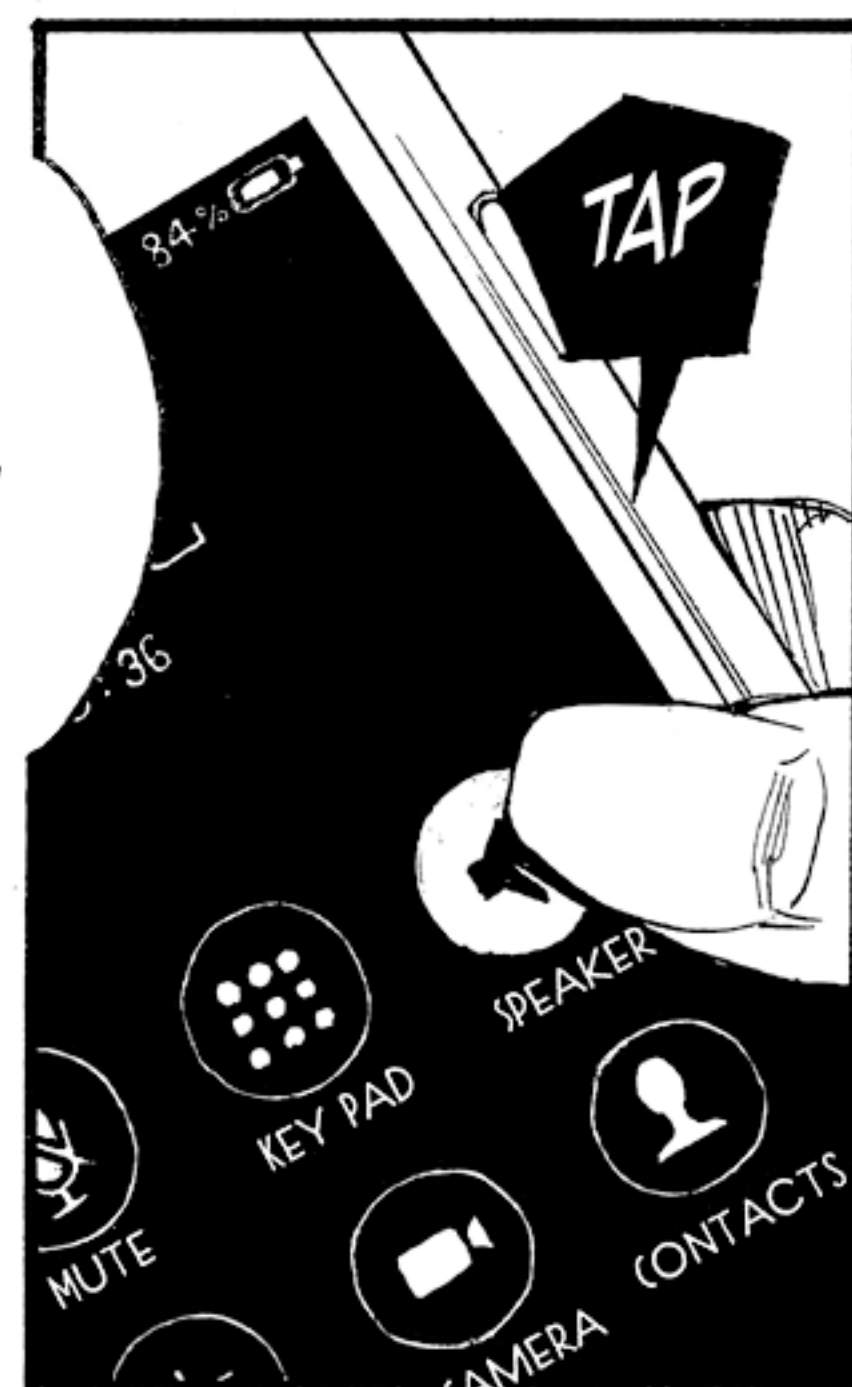
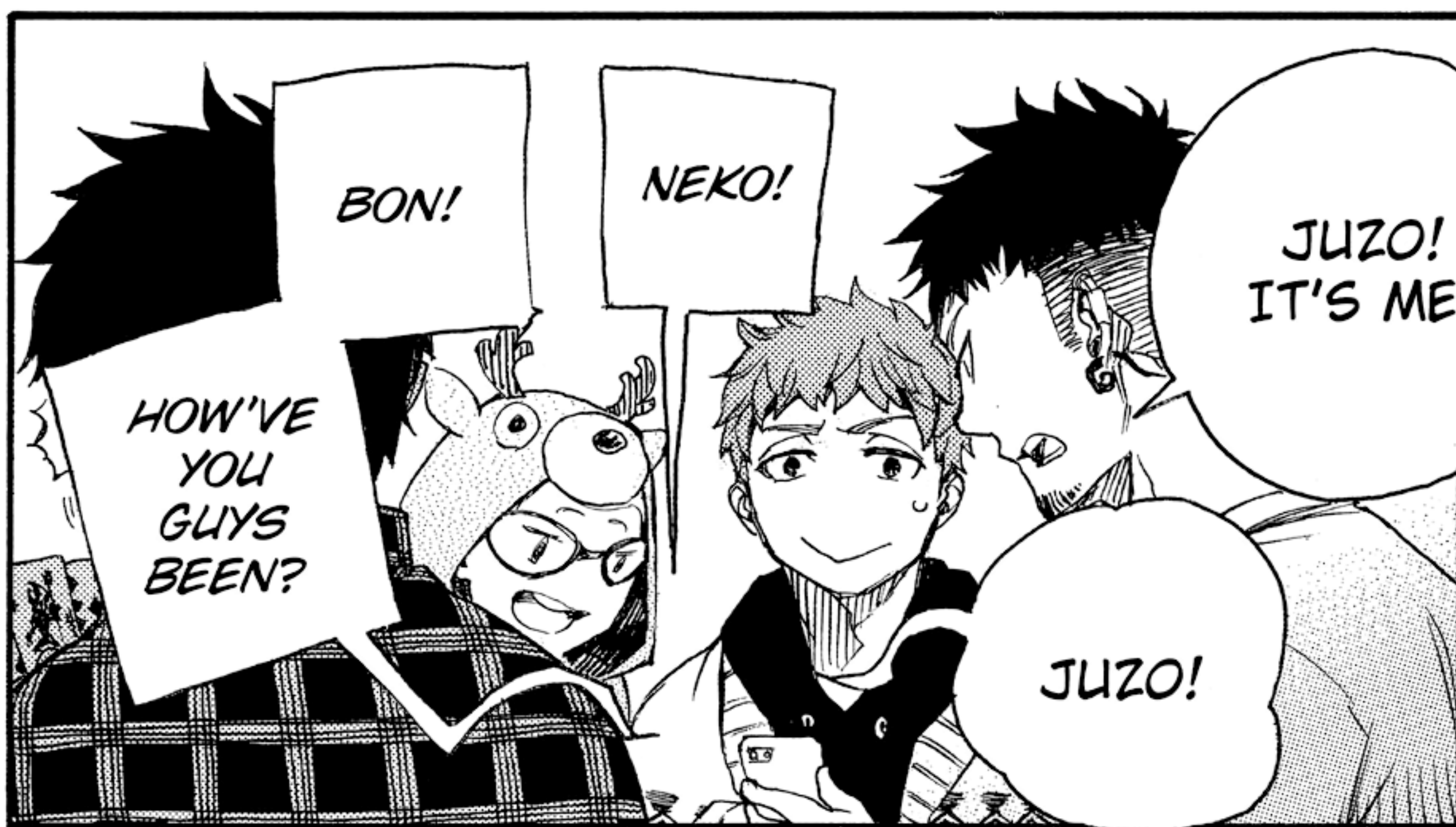
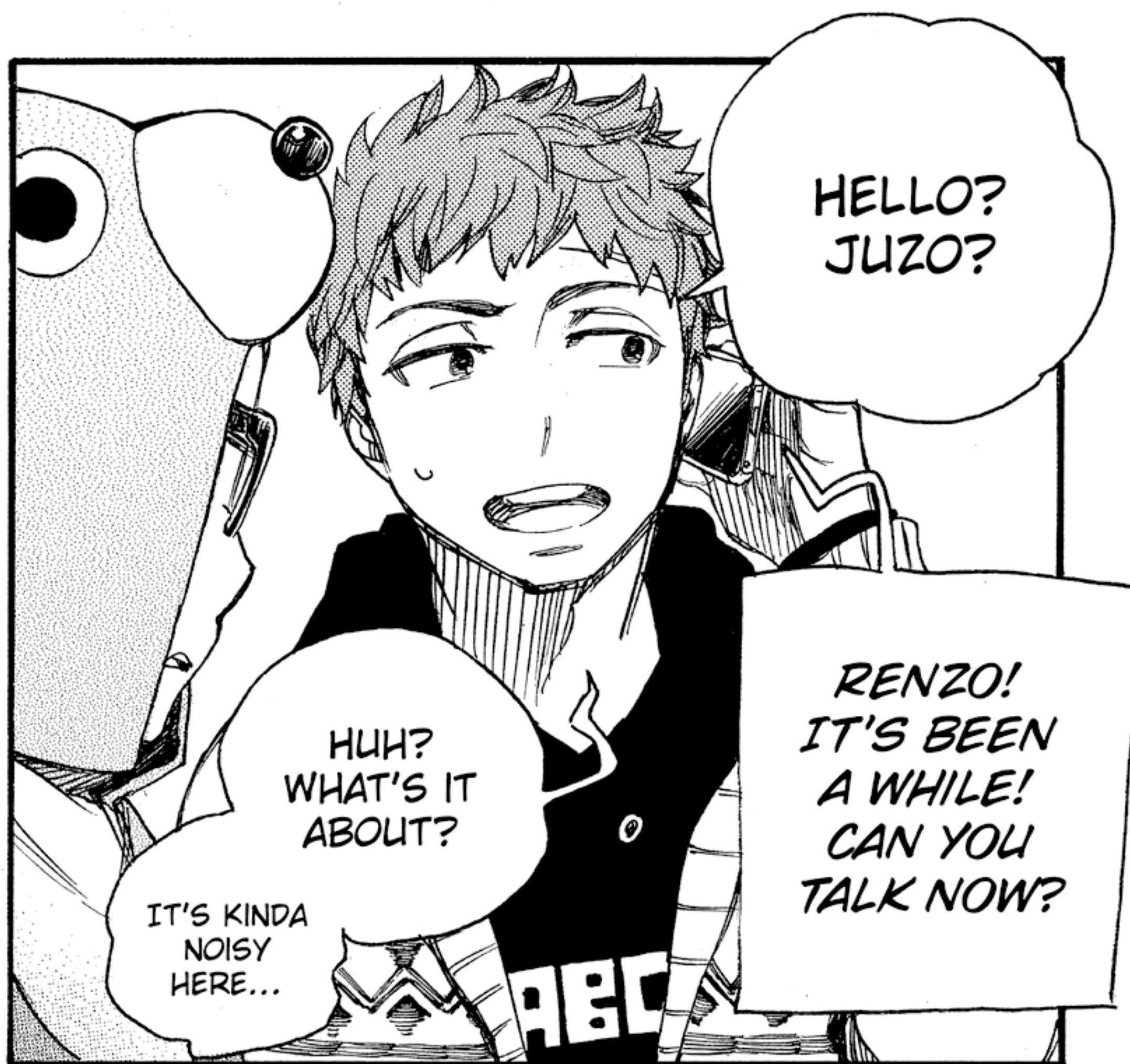


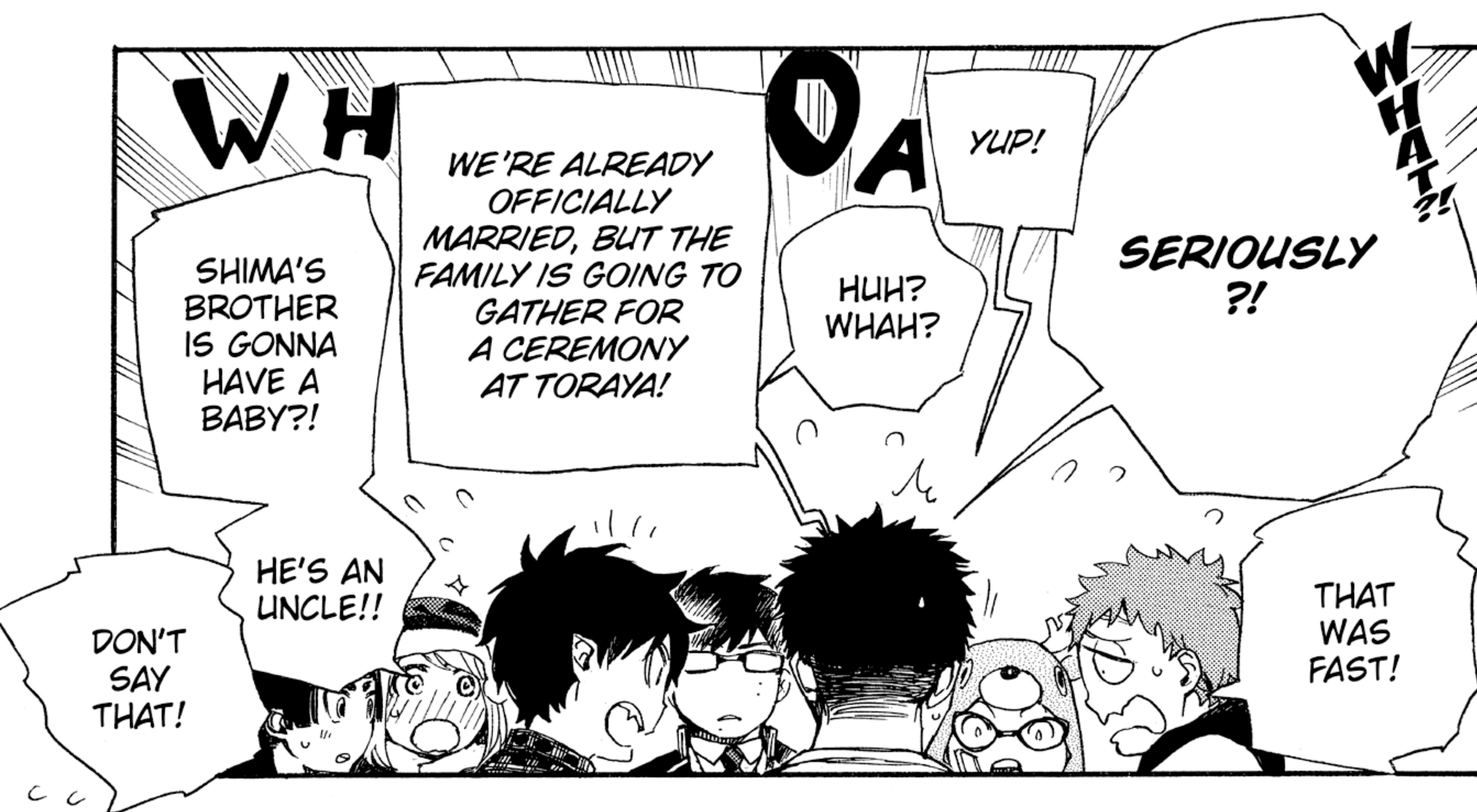
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MERRY
CHRISTMAS...

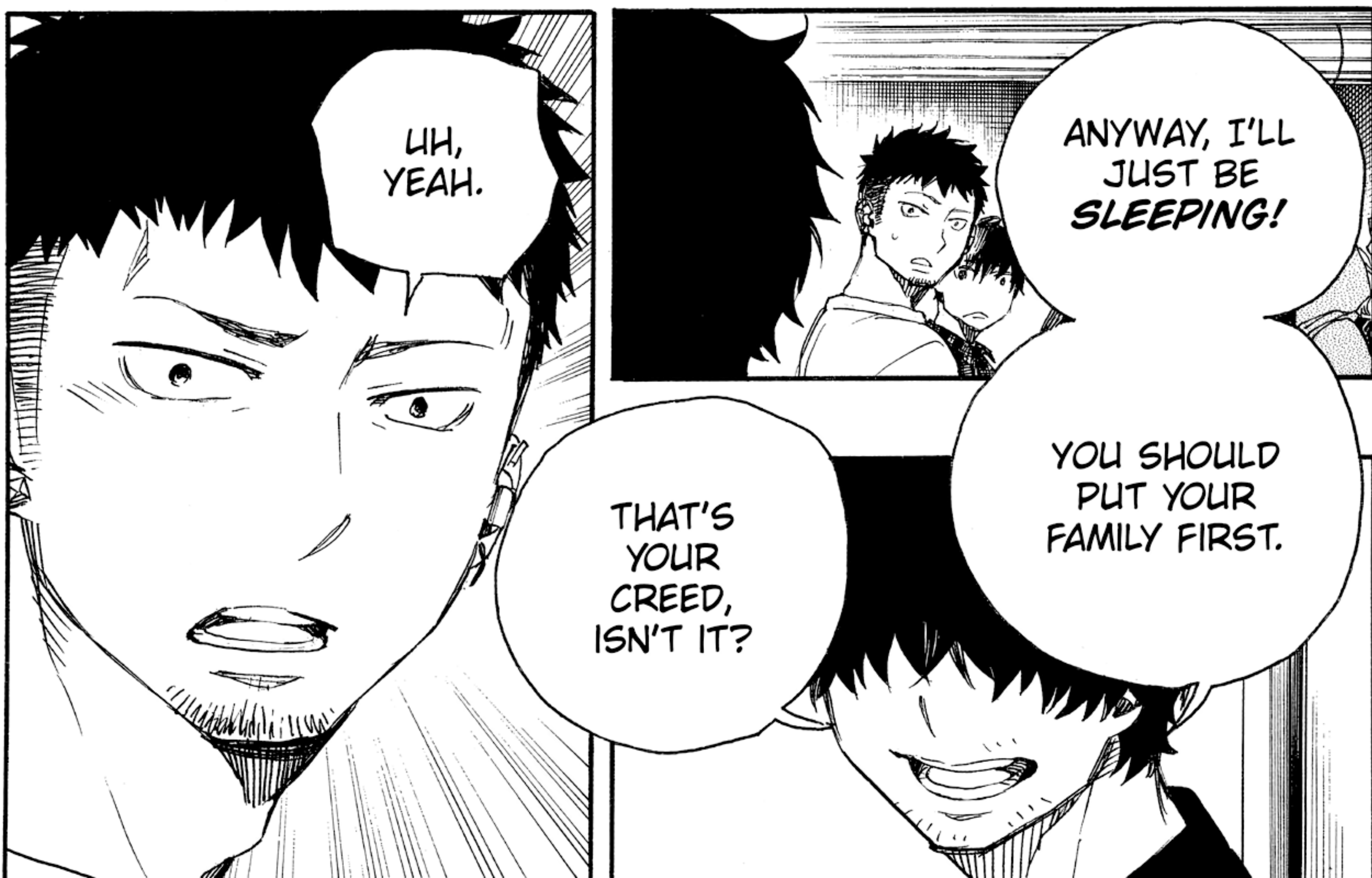
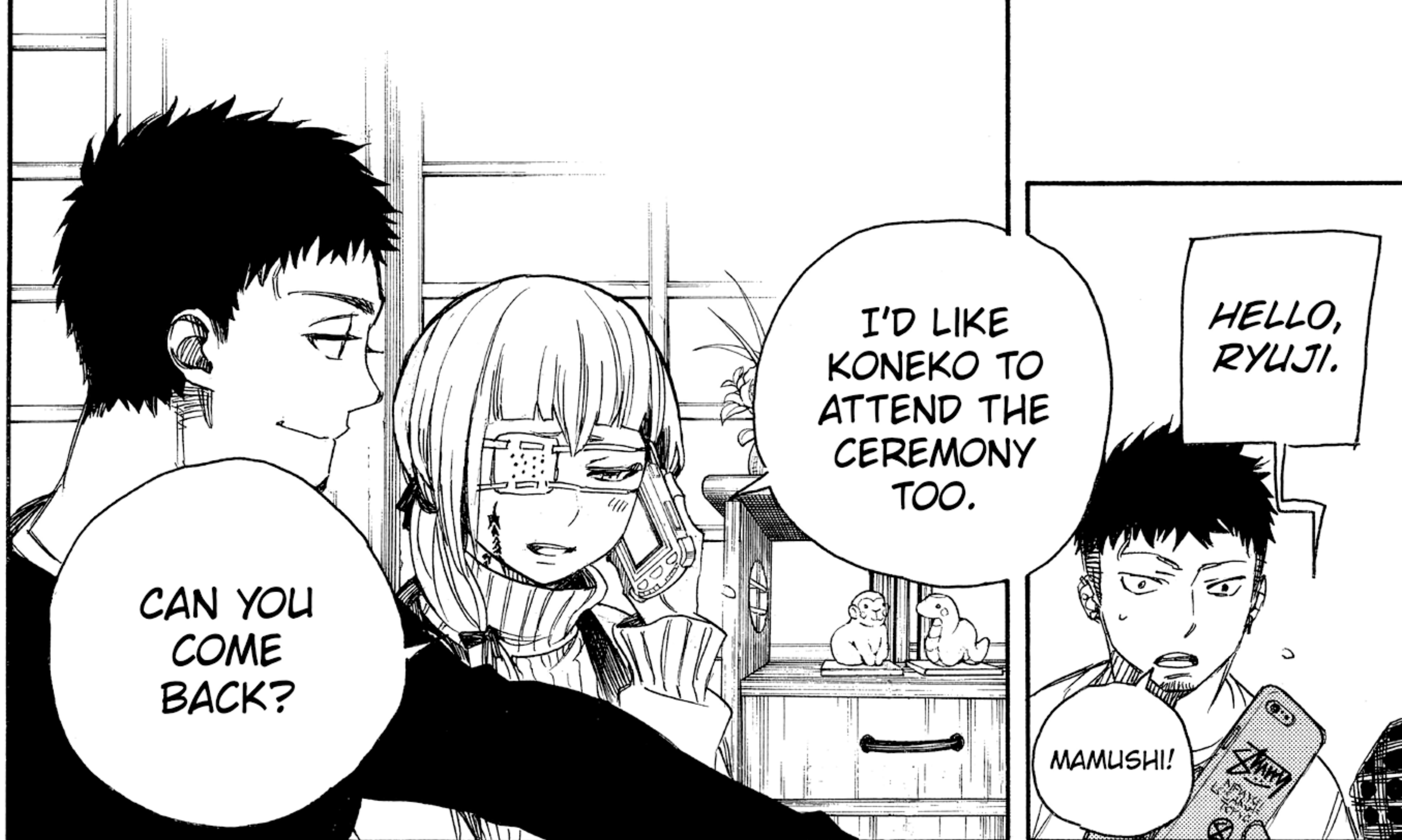
...BIRTHDAY
TO US!!

MAYBE
"TO ALL"?

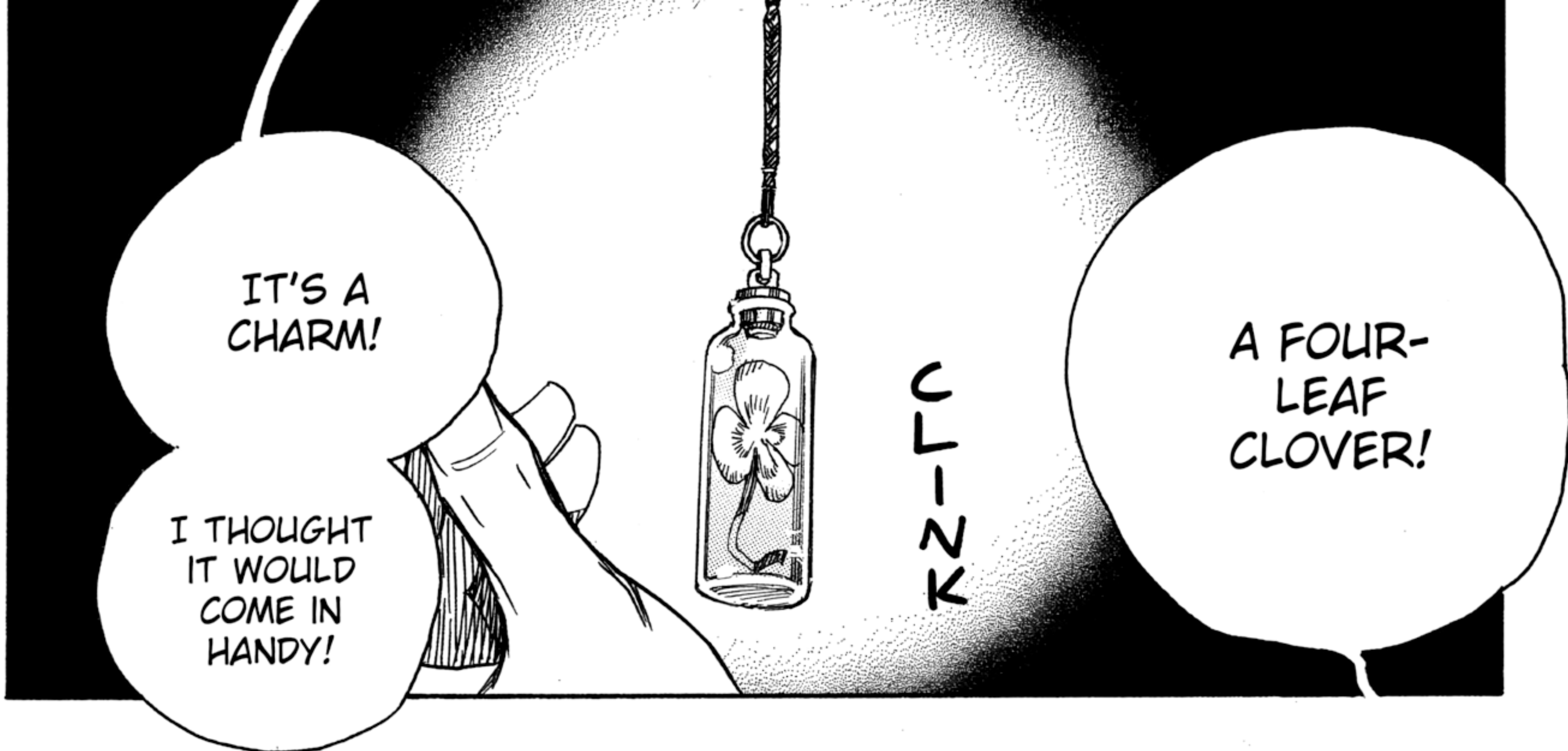












WHAT'S UP
WITH THIS, ALL
OF A SUDDEN?!
YOU SAID YOU
WANTED TO BE
AN EXORCIST!

I THOUGHT I
WAS OKAY
WITH THIS AS
LONG AS YOU
WERE, BUT I
GUESS I'M
NOT!

HUH?

IS
THIS YOUR
FINAL
FAREWELL
?!

DIE?

**ARE YOU
GONNA
DIE?!**

D...

**NO, OF
COURSE
NOT!!**

!

I CAN'T
TELL YOU
THE
REASON.
SORRY.

...



I'LL BE
RIGHT
HERE!

BUT I'M
NOT DYING
OR GOING
AWAY!



I CAN'T
FIGHT BY
YOUR SIDE...

...BUT I'LL
PROVIDE HERBS
AND STUFF FROM
FUTSUMAYA!

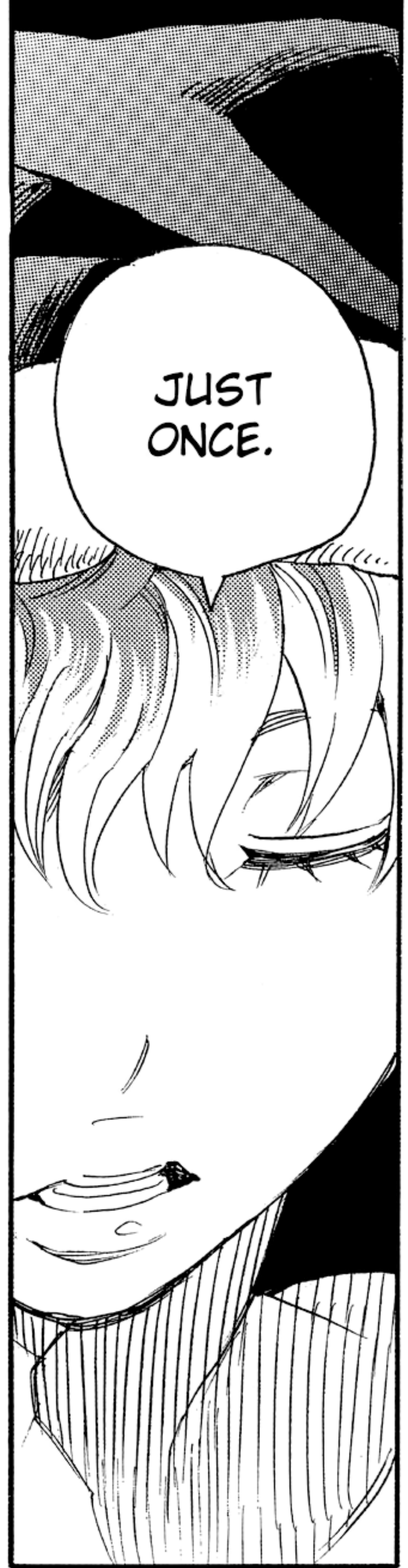
SHANNI







HER NAME
WAS *YURI*
EGIN.



JUST
ONCE.



FOR A LONG
TIME, I'D ALWAYS
THOUGHT IT
WASN'T A
PLEASANT
MEMORY...

...BUT I
SUPPOSE I
CAN TELL
YOU NOW.



HUH?
IT'S NOT
A BIG
DEAL.

?!

I WAS
JUST A
KID!

REALLY?!

HOW DO YOU
KNOW HER?!
WHY DIDN'T
YOU TELL
US?!

KZK
KZK
KZK



OKAY,
FINE.

...



YOU
MET HER
YOURSELF!
SO THIS IS
IMPORTANT!

OF
COURSE!

SO...

...YOU
WANNA
HEAR
THIS?



BUT IT
REALLY ISN'T
ANYTHING
AMAZING.



OH?

YURI!!

I NEED TO
ASK YOU A
FAVOR!

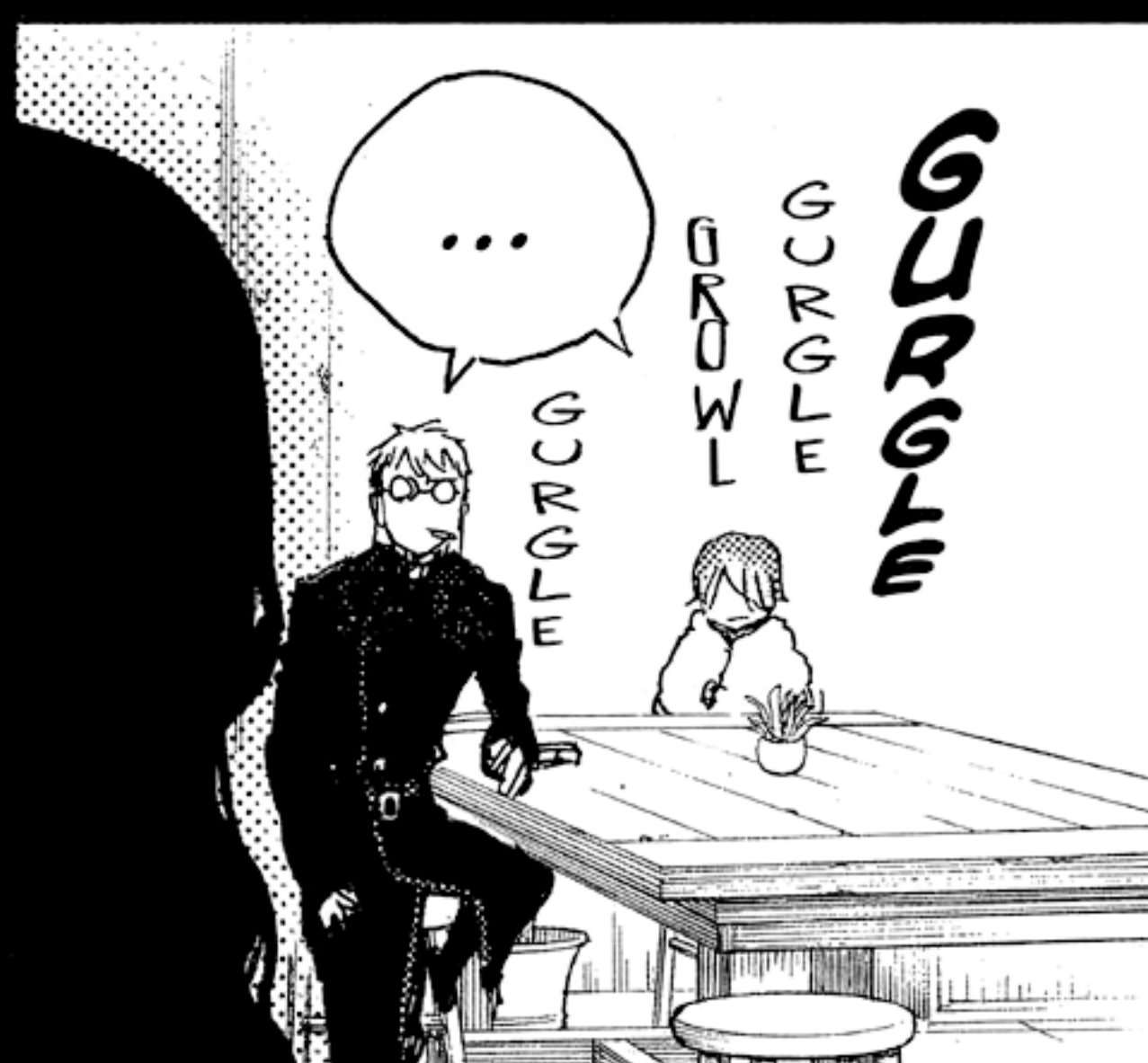
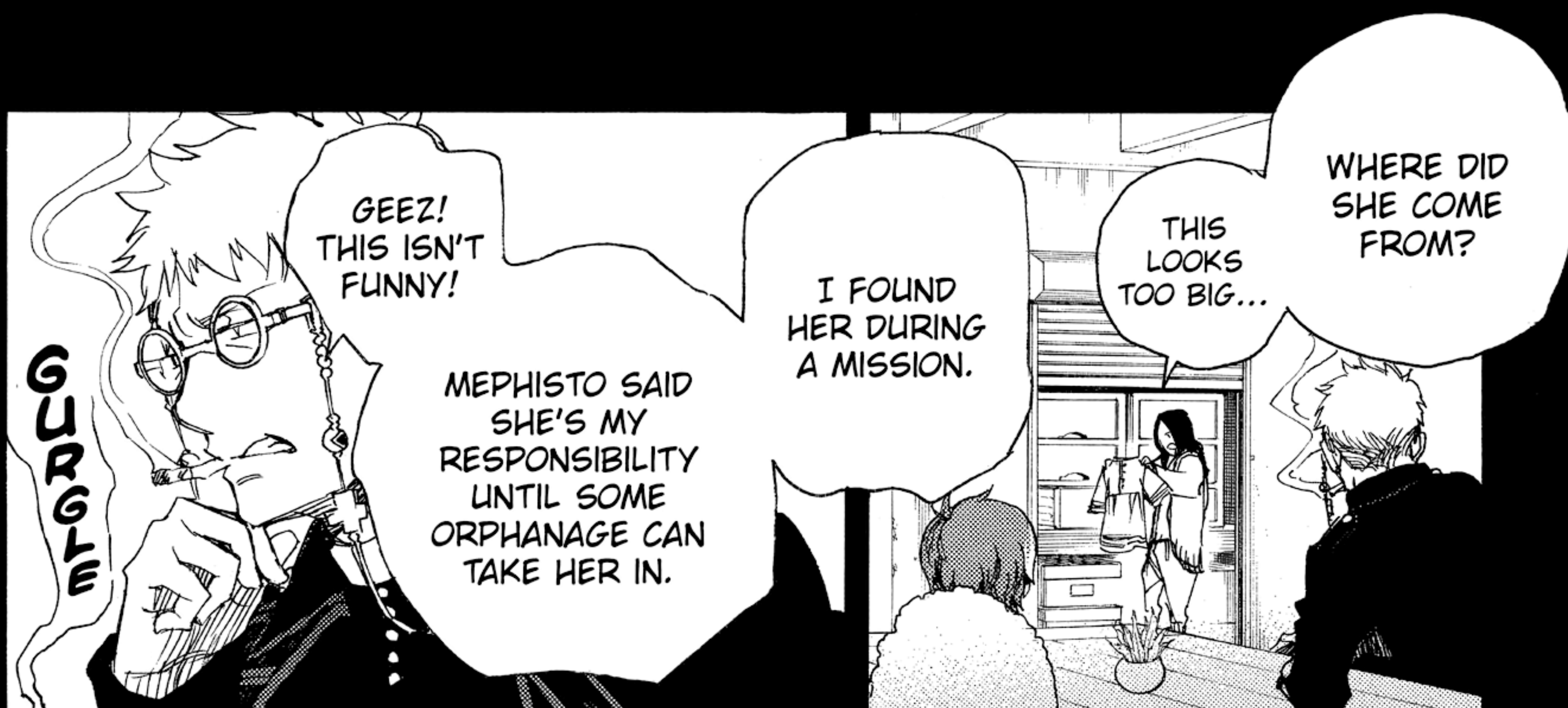
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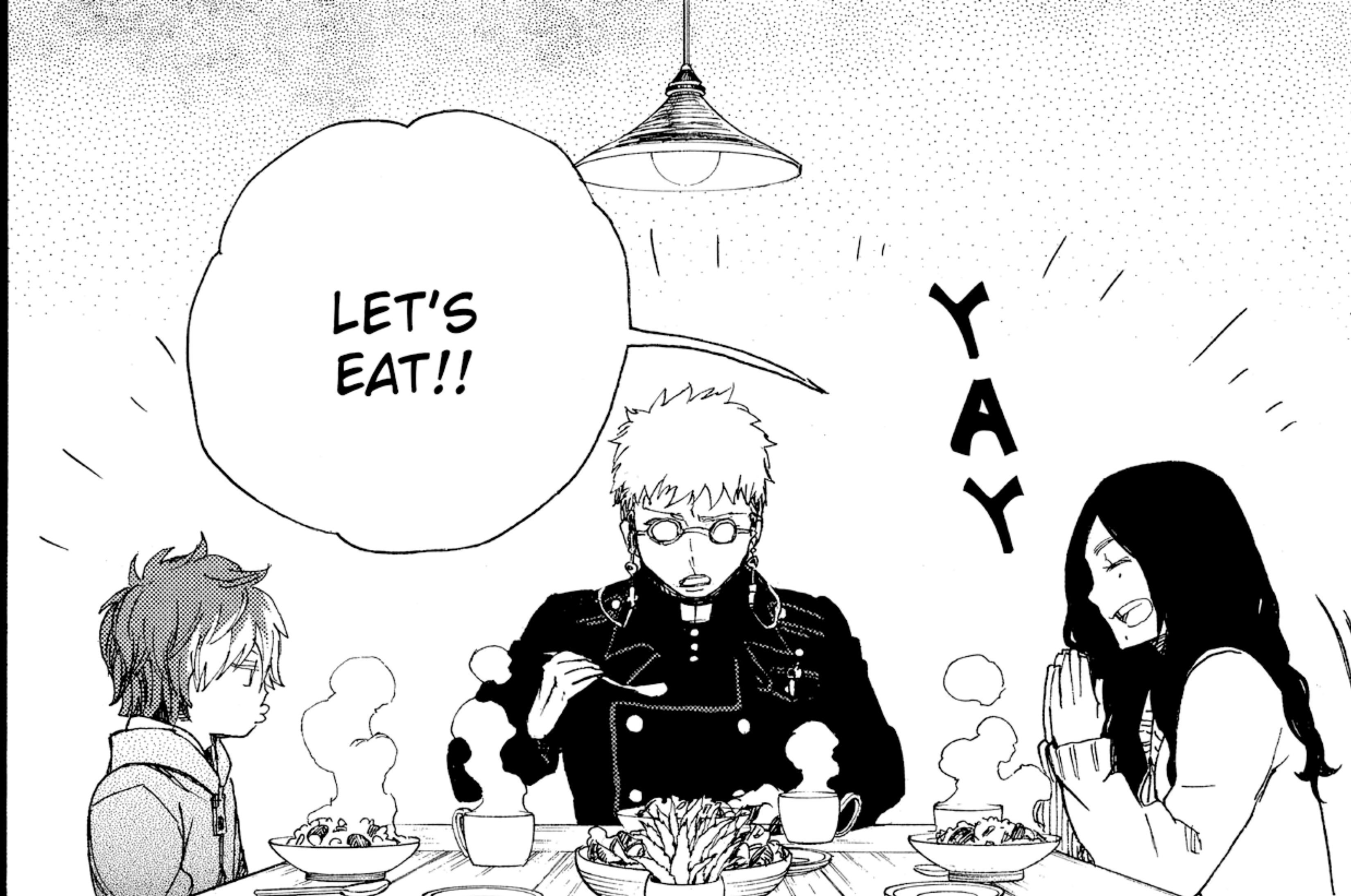
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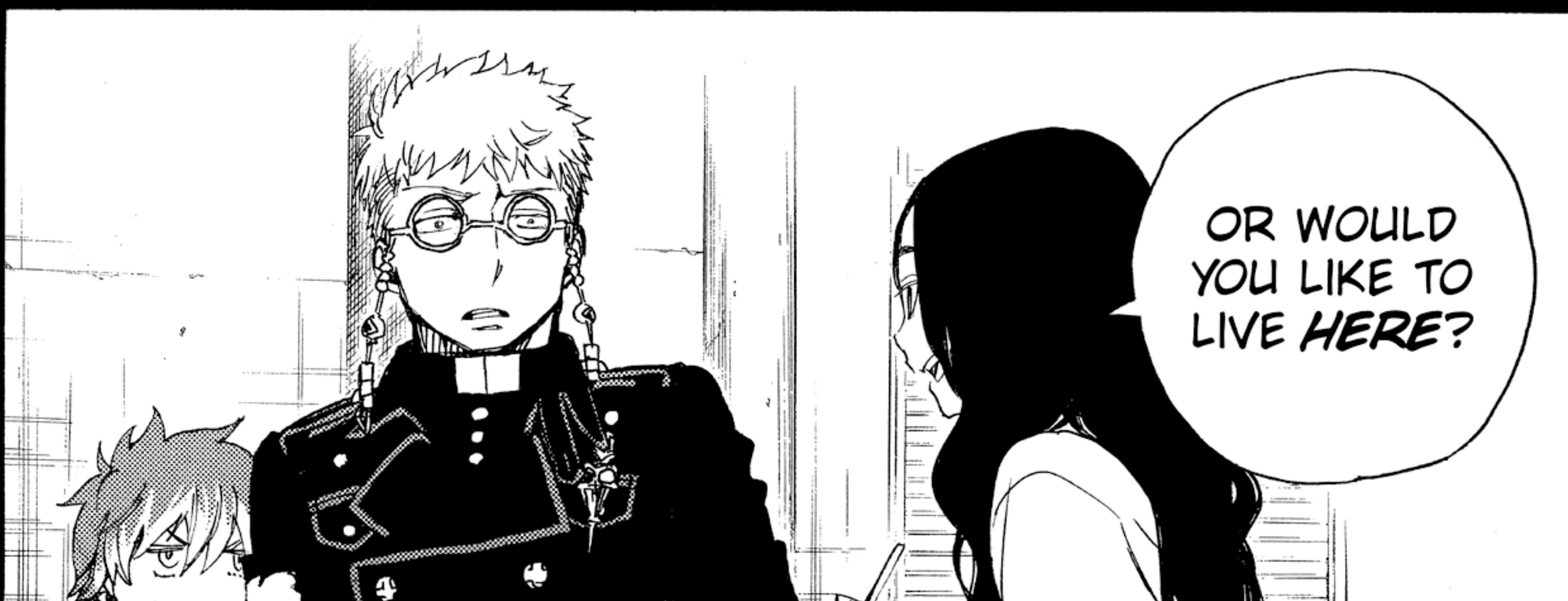
EIGHTEEN
YEARS
AGO...

...SHIRO
DIDN'T KNOW
HOW TO
HANDLE ME, SO
HE TOOK ME
TO YURI.





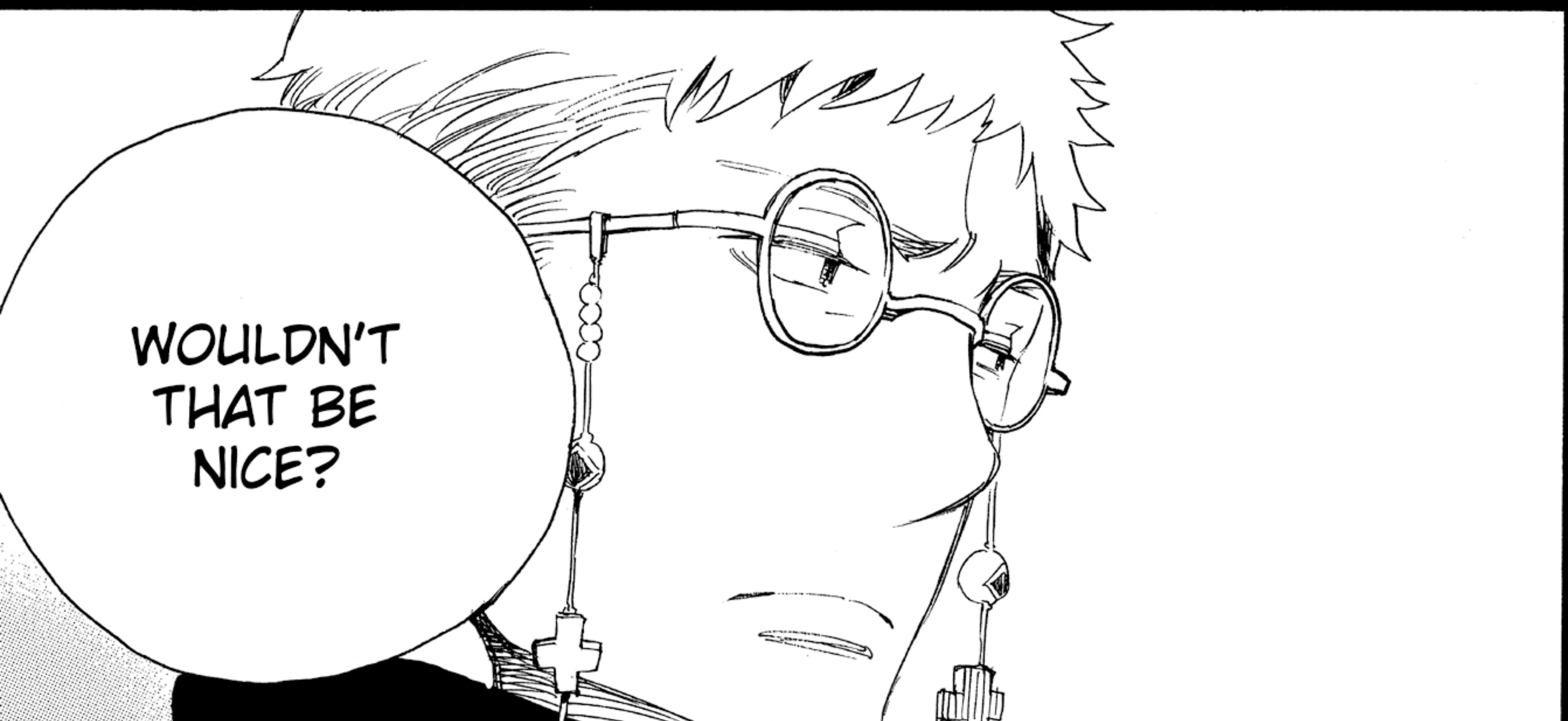






...AND
I COULD
BE HER
MOTHER.

YOU
COULD BE
LIKE HER
FATHER...



WOULDN'T
THAT BE
NICE?



OH, IT
WOULDN'T?

YOUR
MOTHER...

STOP
JOKING
AROUND,
WEIRDO.

NO. IT
WOULD
NOT.



...WAS BRIGHT
AND KIND AND
BEAUTIFUL.

I THINK IT
WOULD BE
WONDERFUL.



...I COULD
NEVER
COMPARE.

I
KNEW...



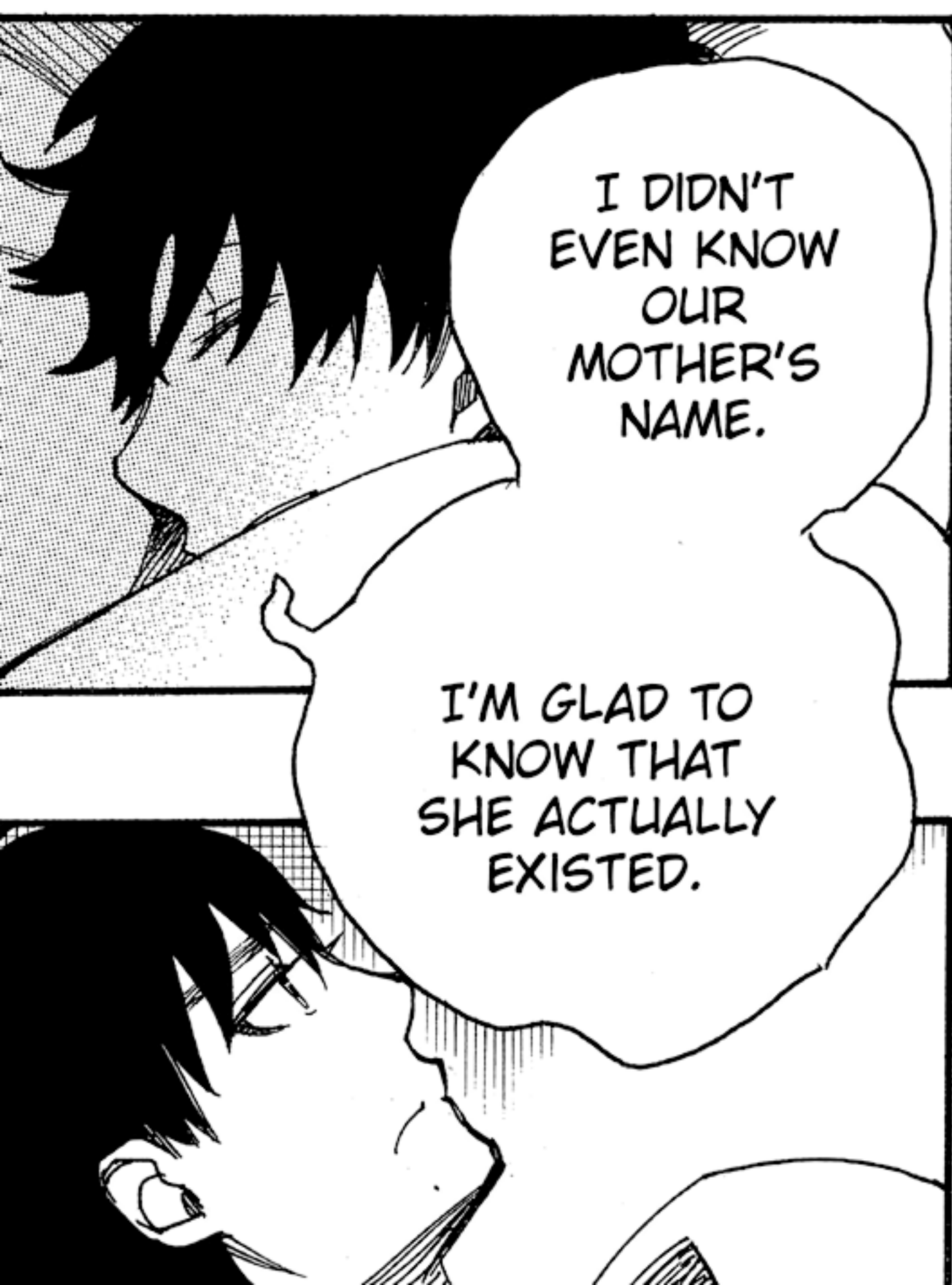
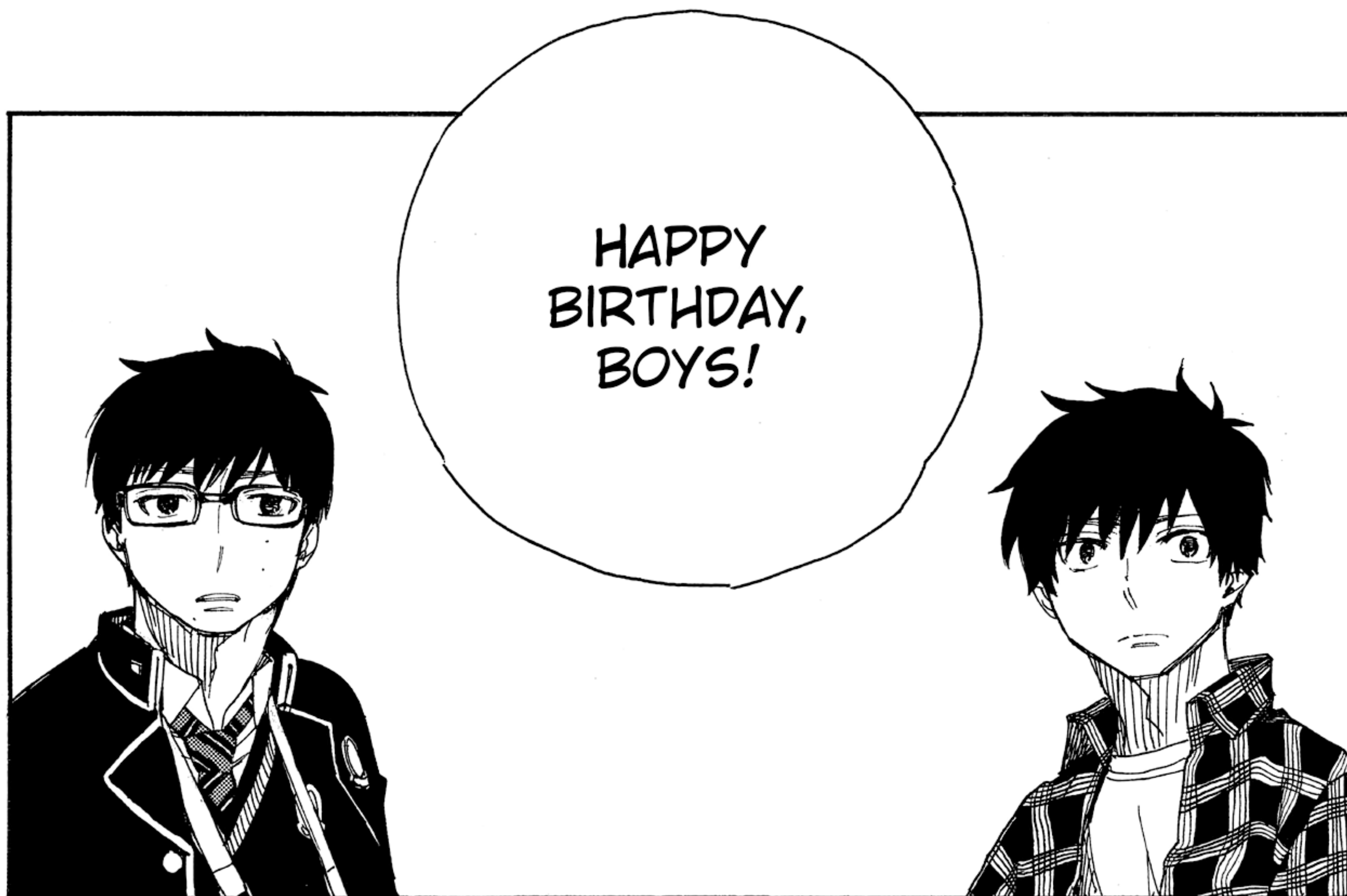
AND SHE
HAD LOTS
OF MOLES
LIKE YOU,
YUKIO.



HER EYES
WERE LIKE
YOURS, RIN.



THAT'S
ALL!
END OF
STORY!





...DON'T YOU
WANT TO
KNOW ABOUT
OUR BIRTH?

RIN...



MOST DATA
ON HER IS
CLASSIFIED.

ACCORDING TO
THE KNIGHTS OF
THE TRUE
CROSS, SHE'S
THE APOSTATE
WHO BORE
SATAN'S SONS.

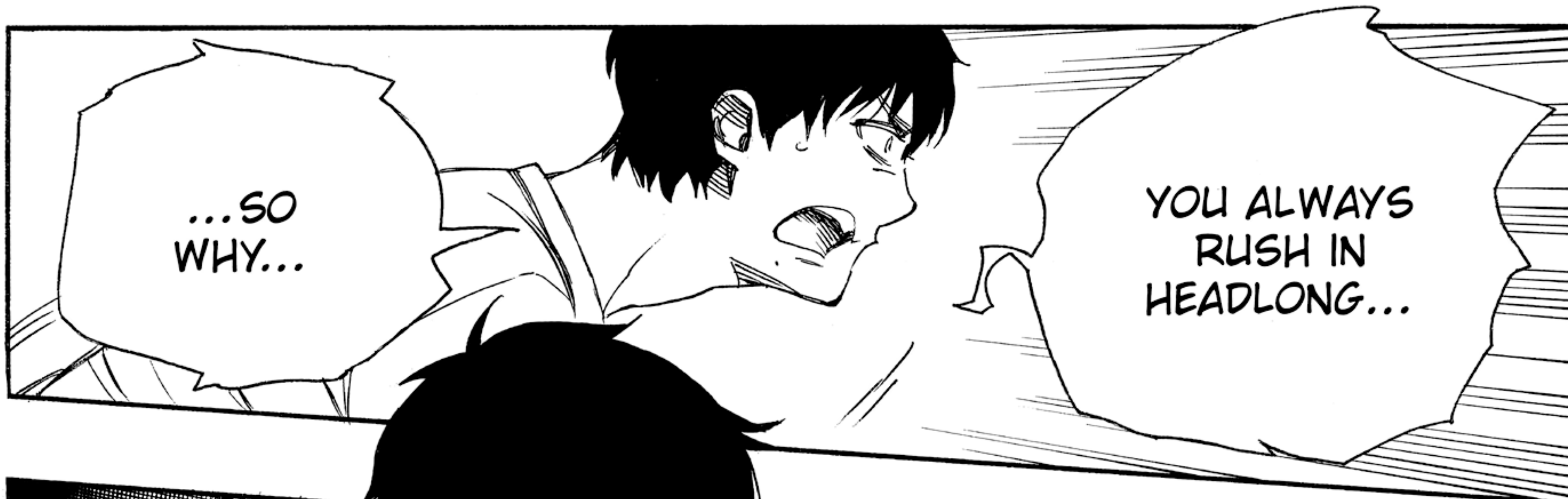


WHAT
CIRCUMSTANCES
SURROUNDED
OUR BIRTH?

AND WHY IS IT
ALL KEPT
SECRET?

BUT I WANT
TO KNOW
ABOUT HER.







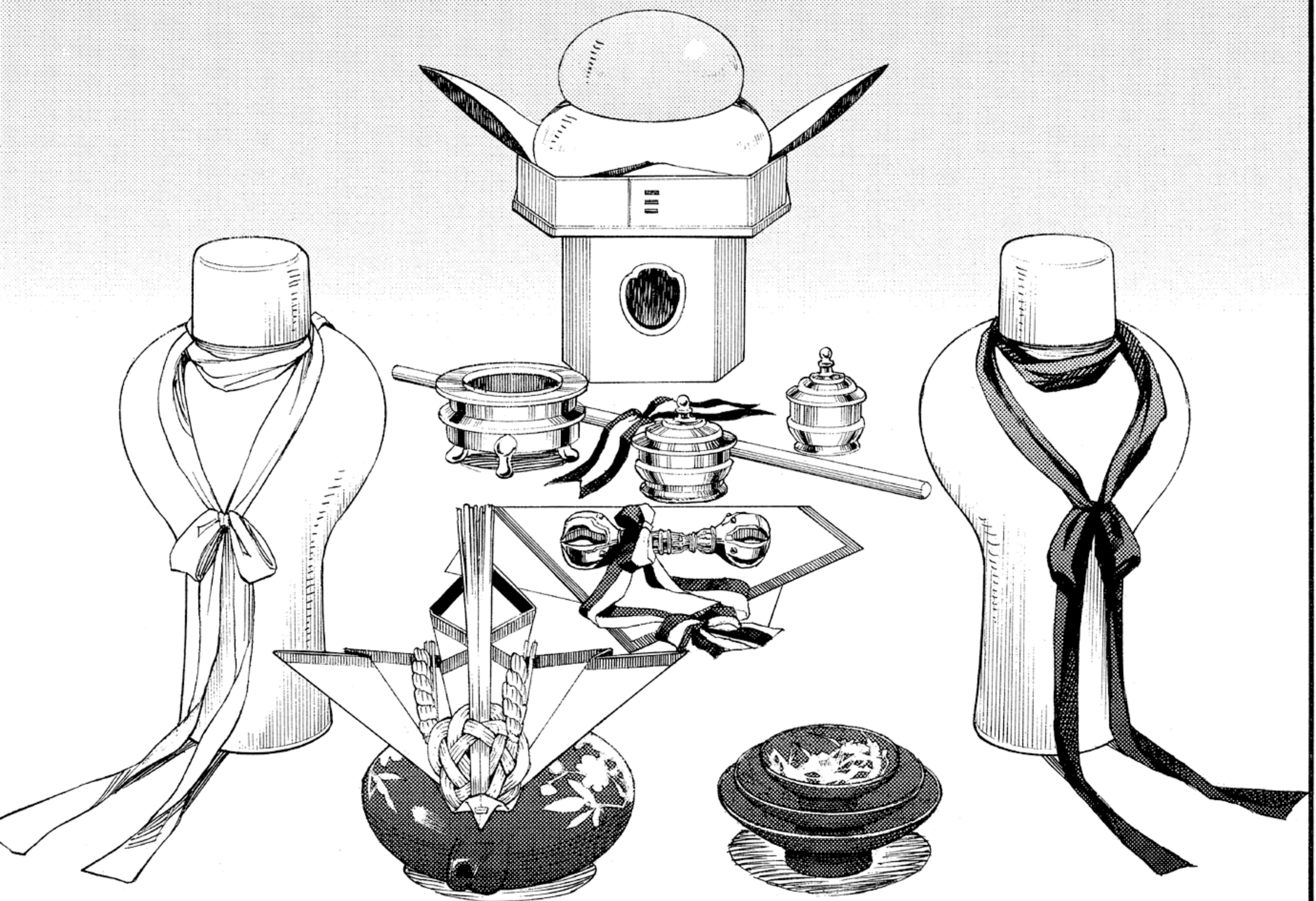
**WHO'S
THE
WIMPY
ONE
NOW?!!!**



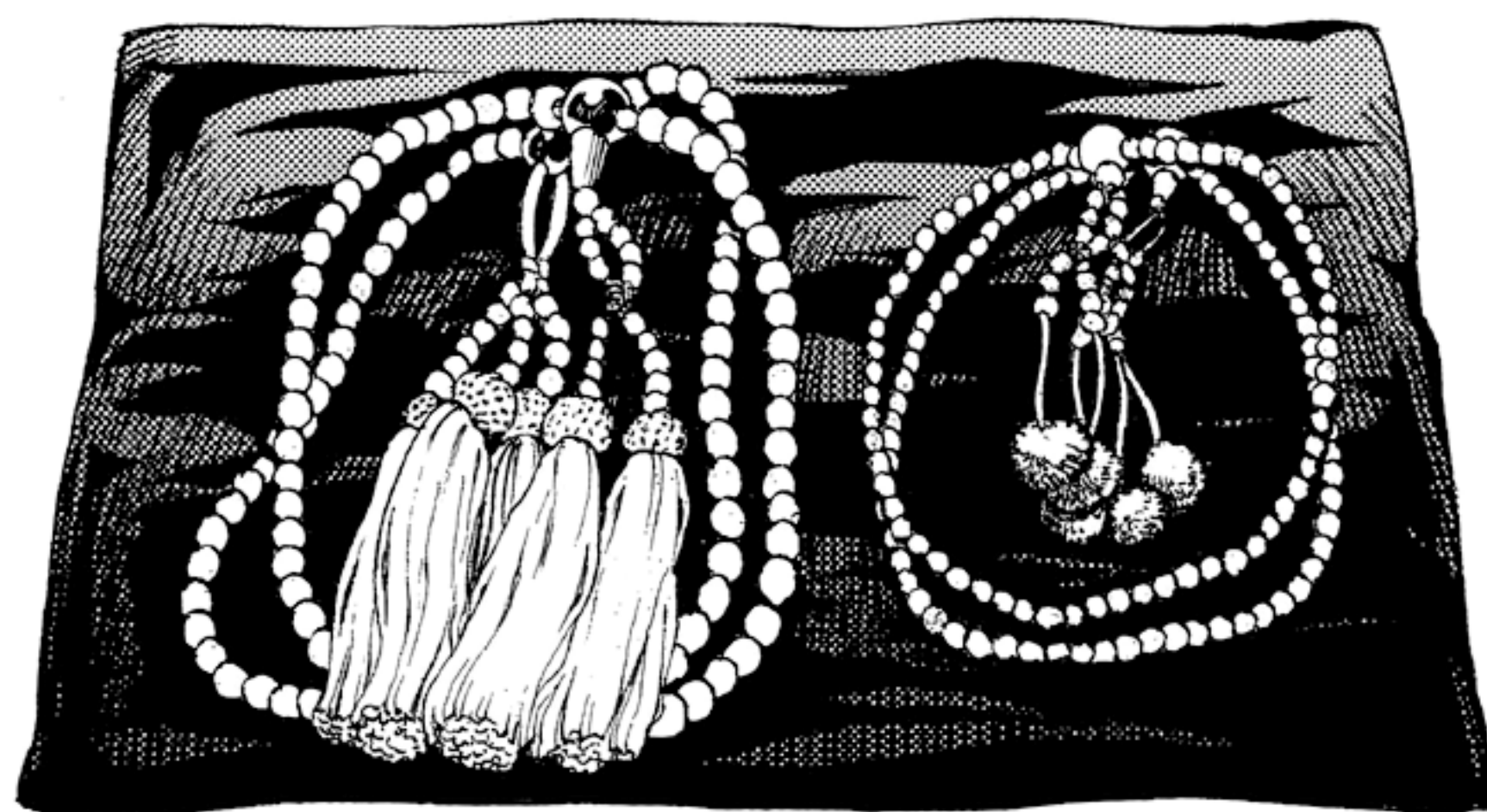
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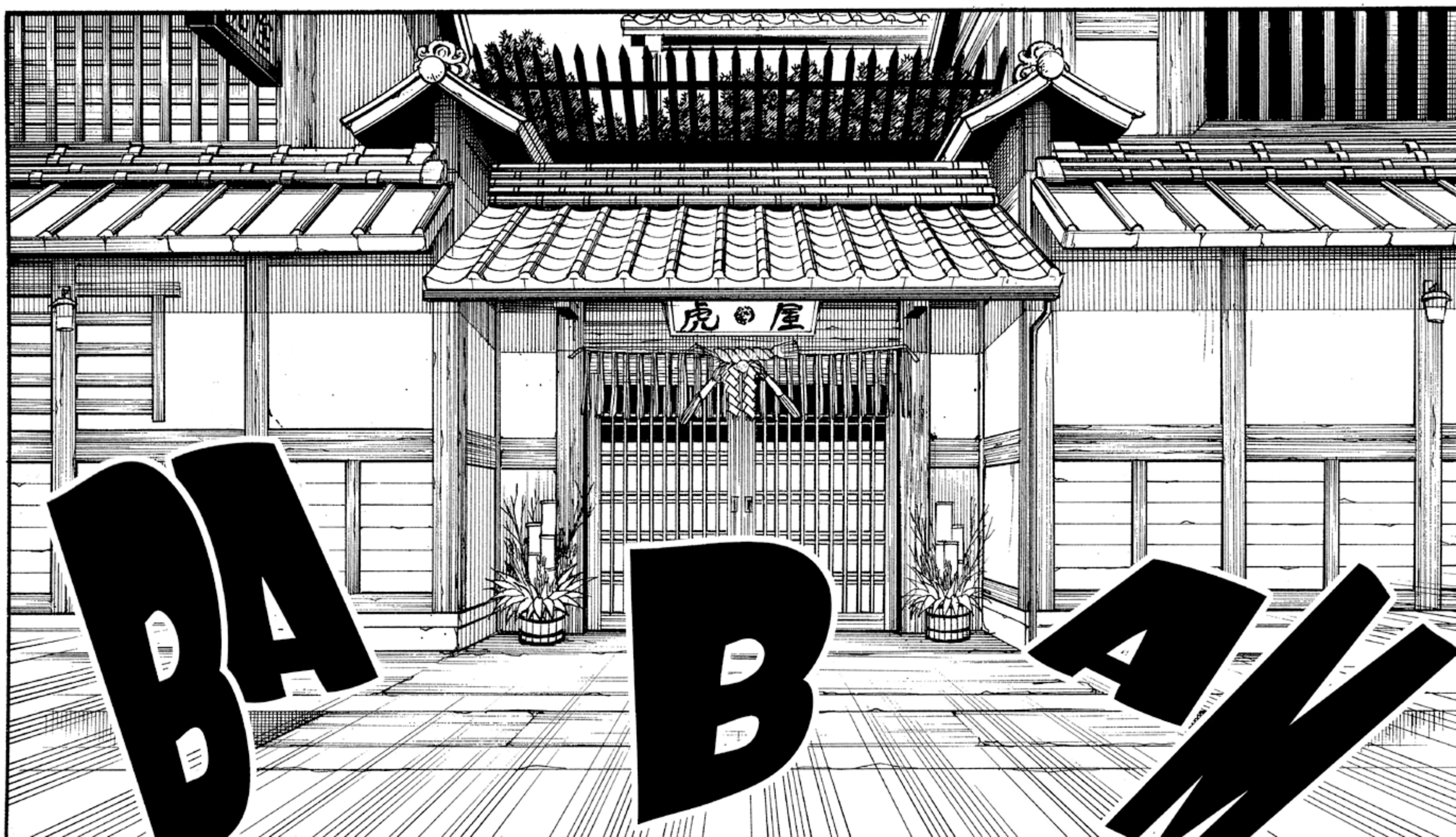
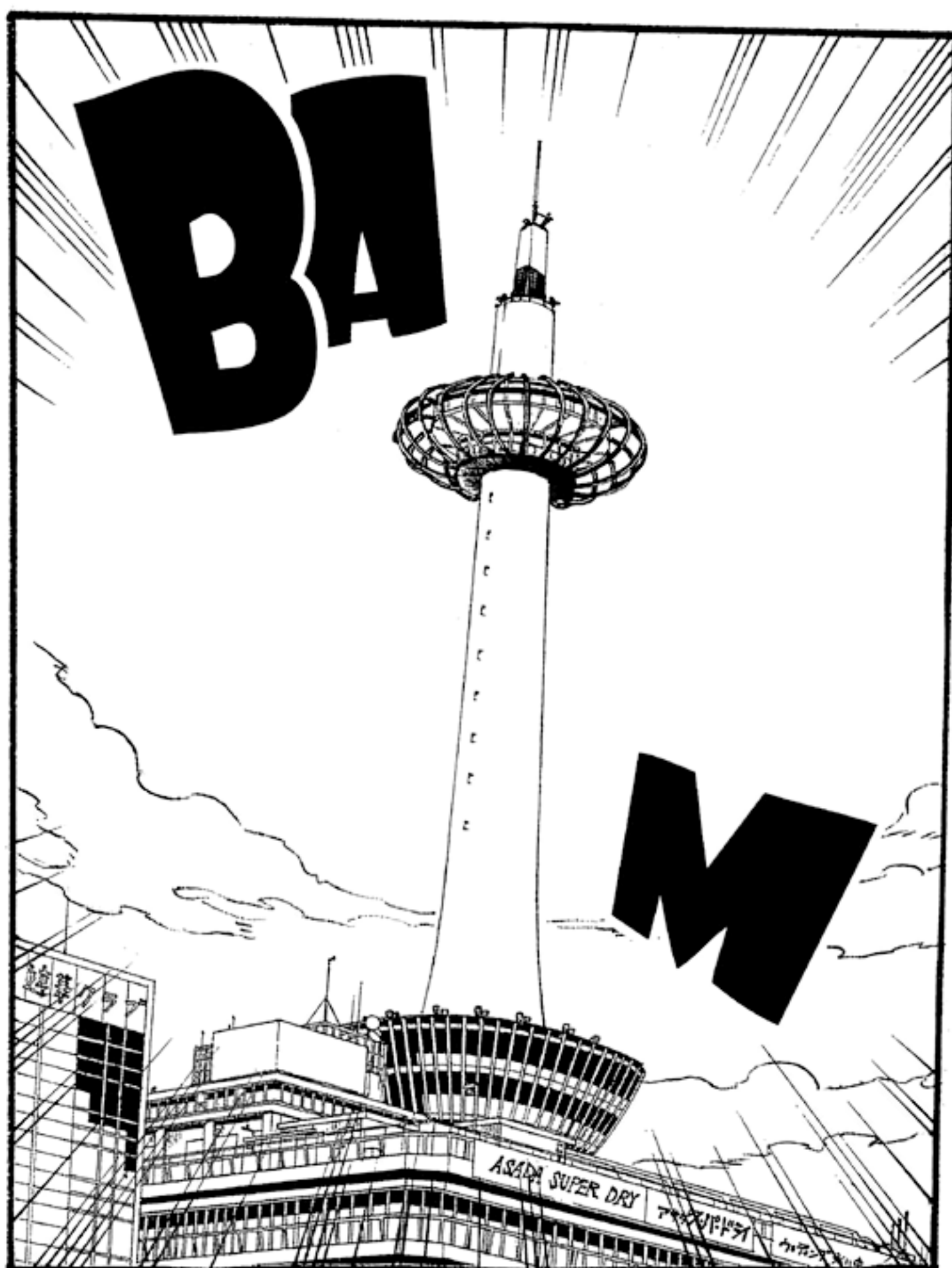
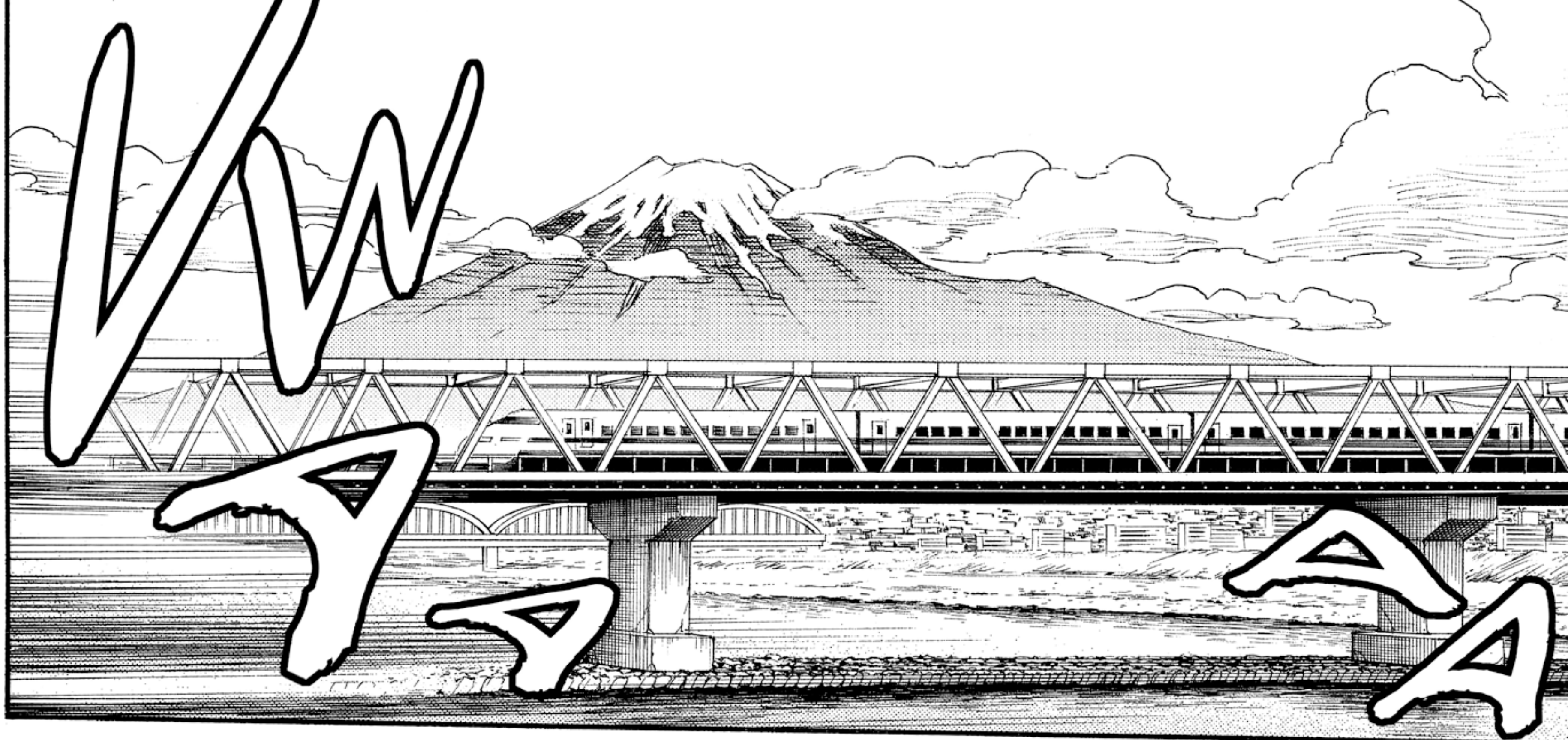


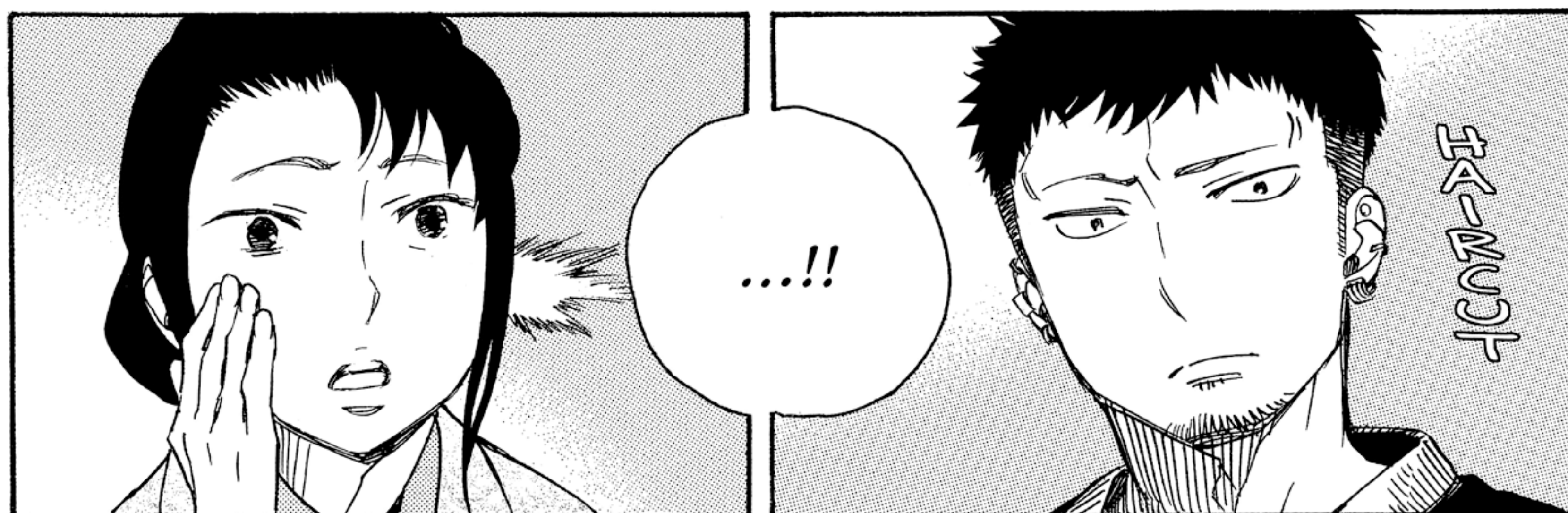
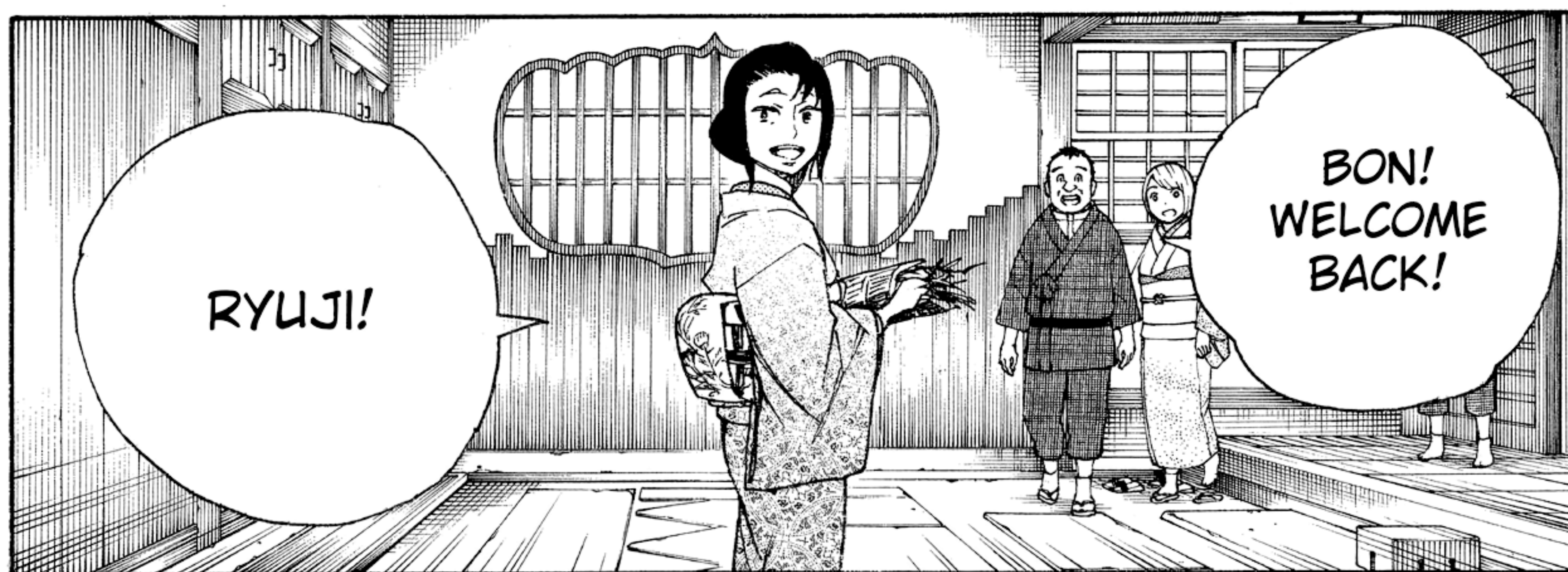
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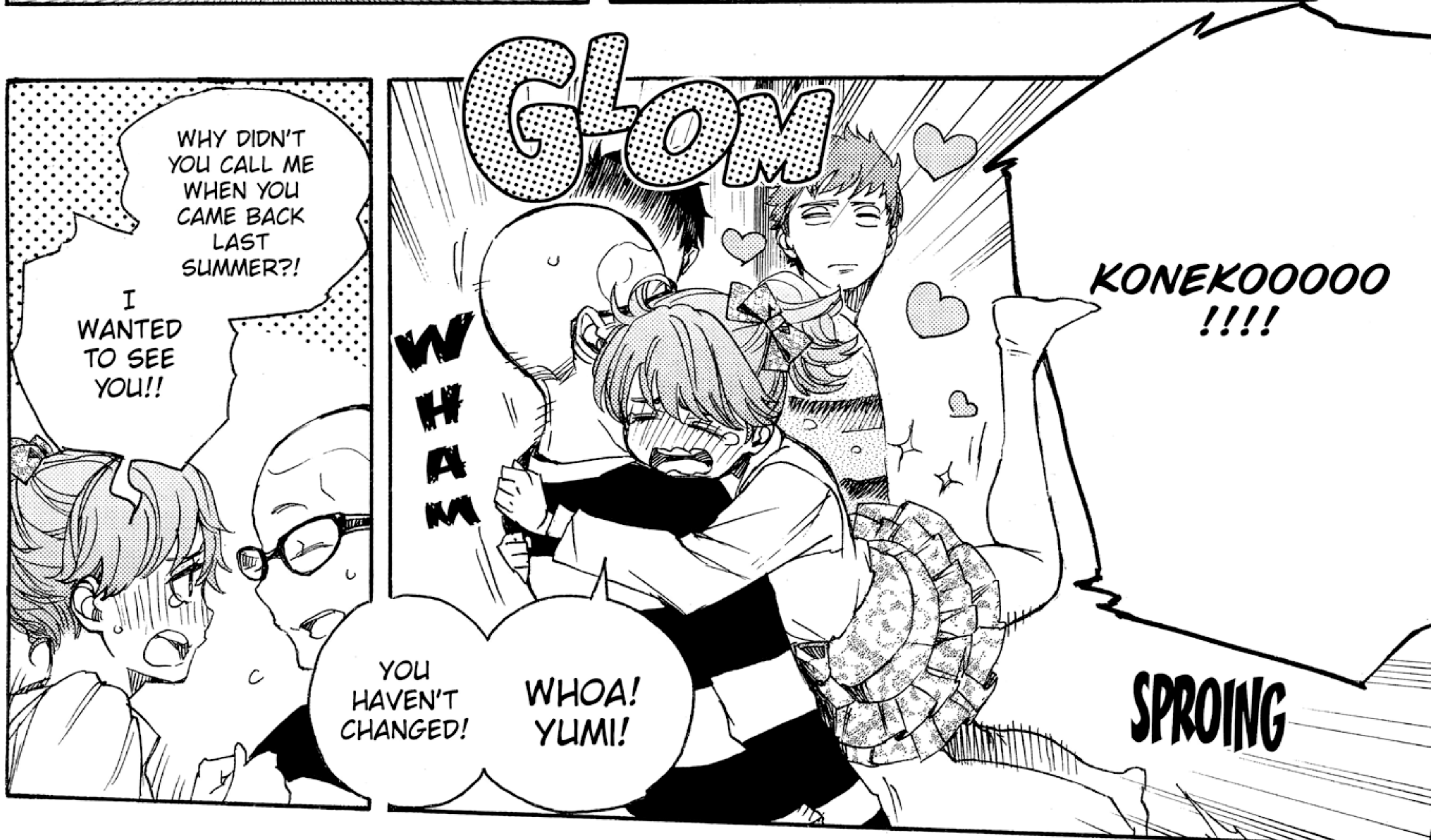
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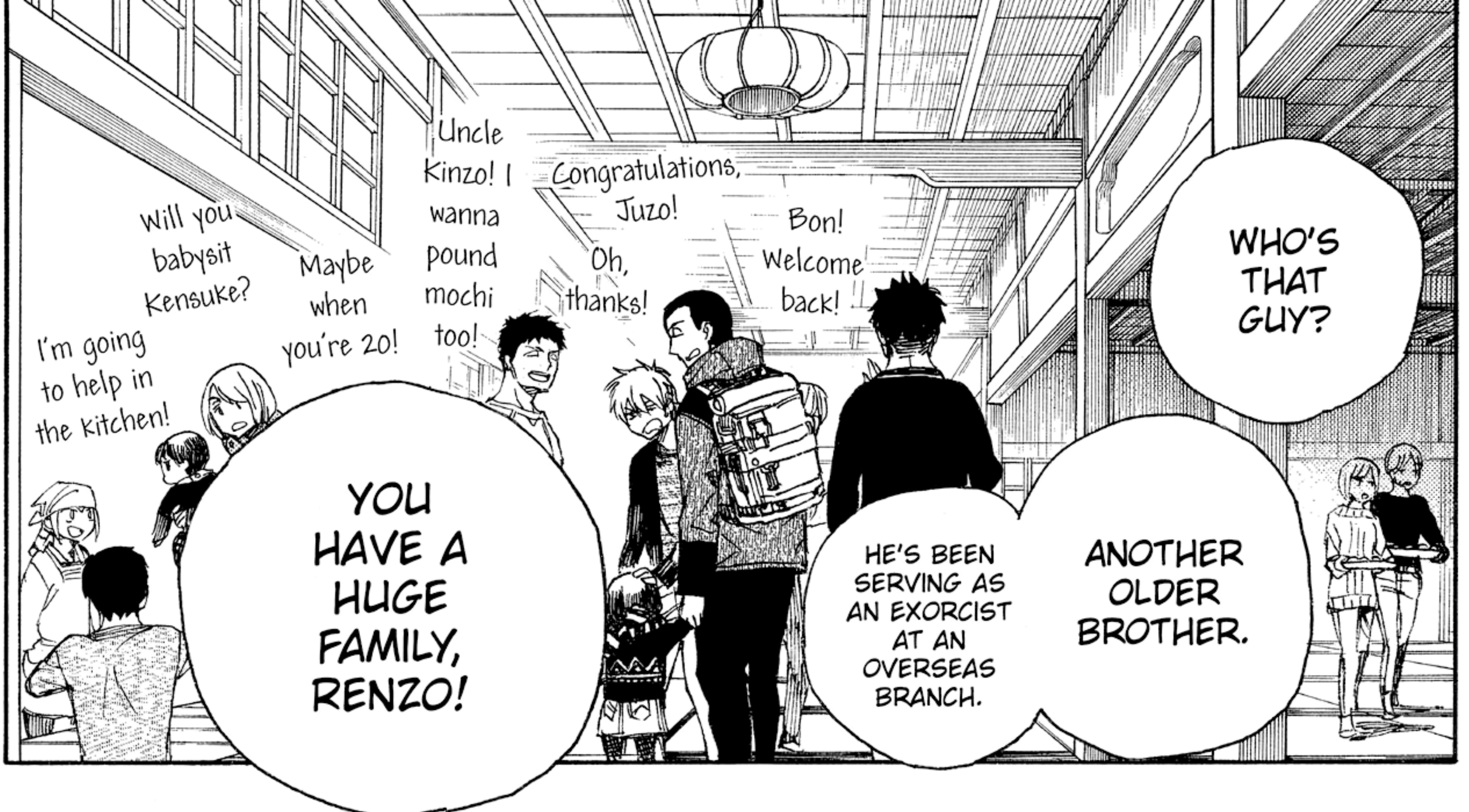


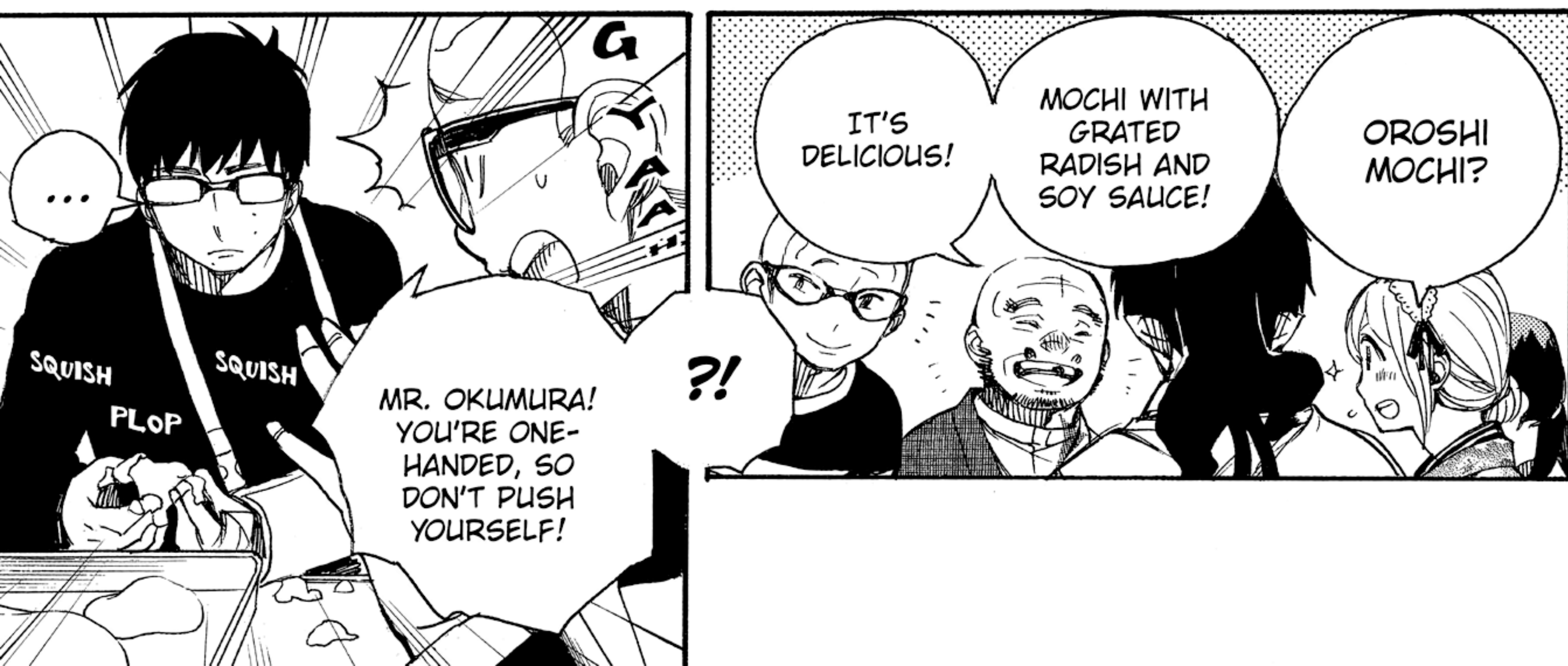
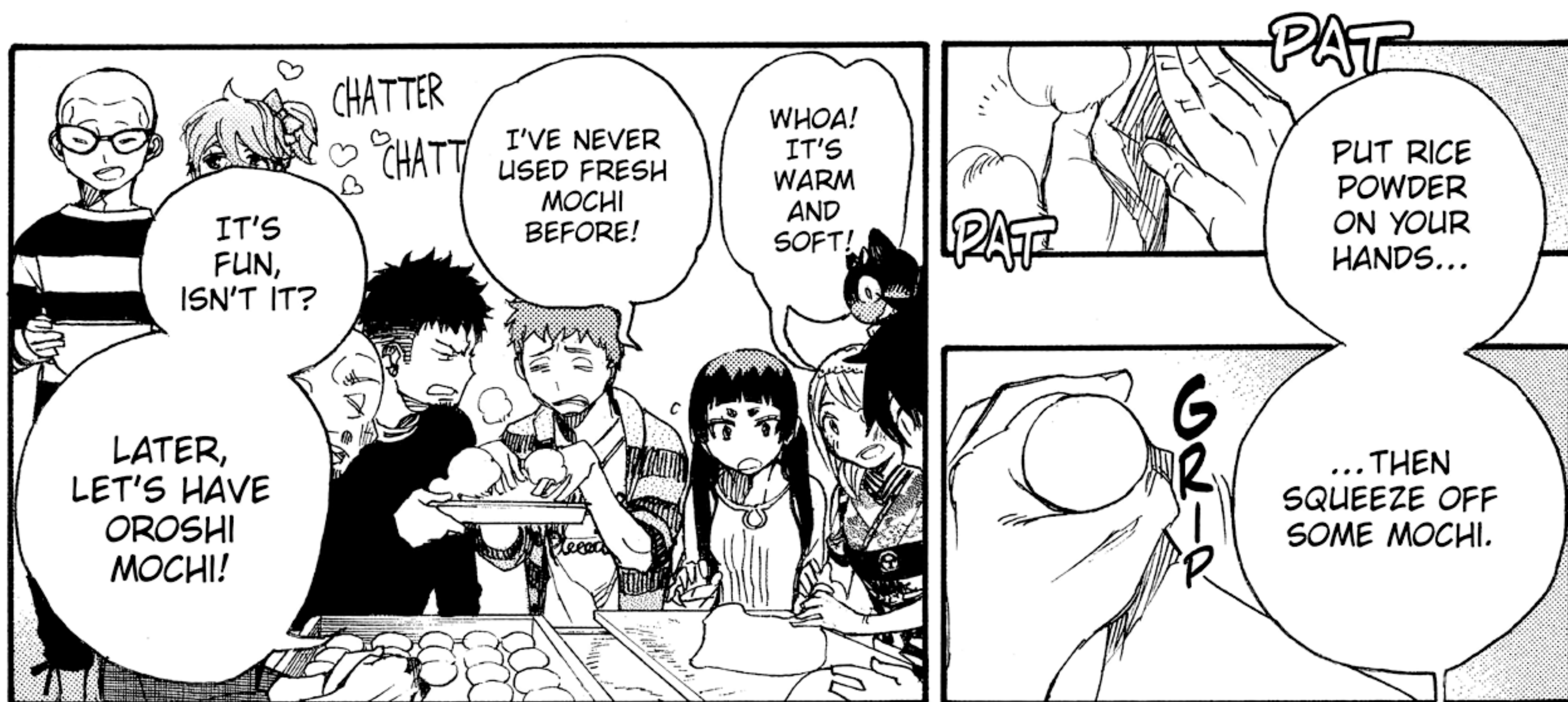












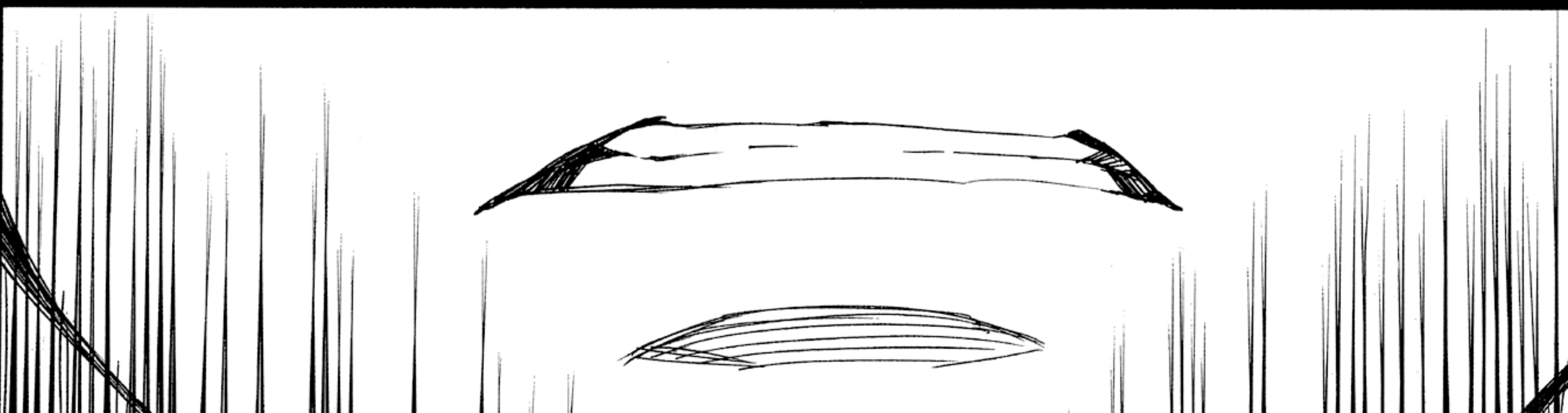
YUKIO...

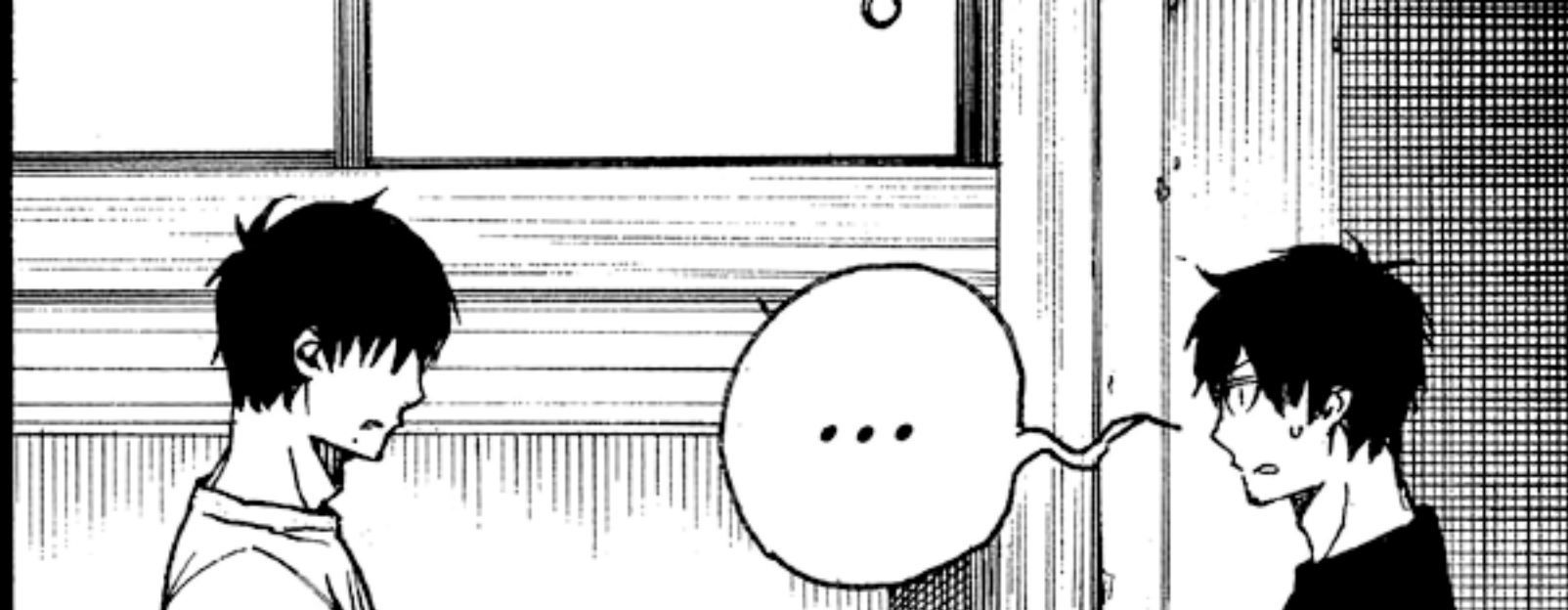


THAT DAY...











SH UP

I FORGOT THAT!

WE'RE BROTHERS, BUT WE'RE COMPLETELY DIFFERENT!

SO WE'RE BOTH WRONG AND BOTH RIGHT!

WE CAN NEVER CHANGE THE WAY WE THINK!

SORRY FOR BEING SO LOUD.



GOOD NIGHT, RIN.

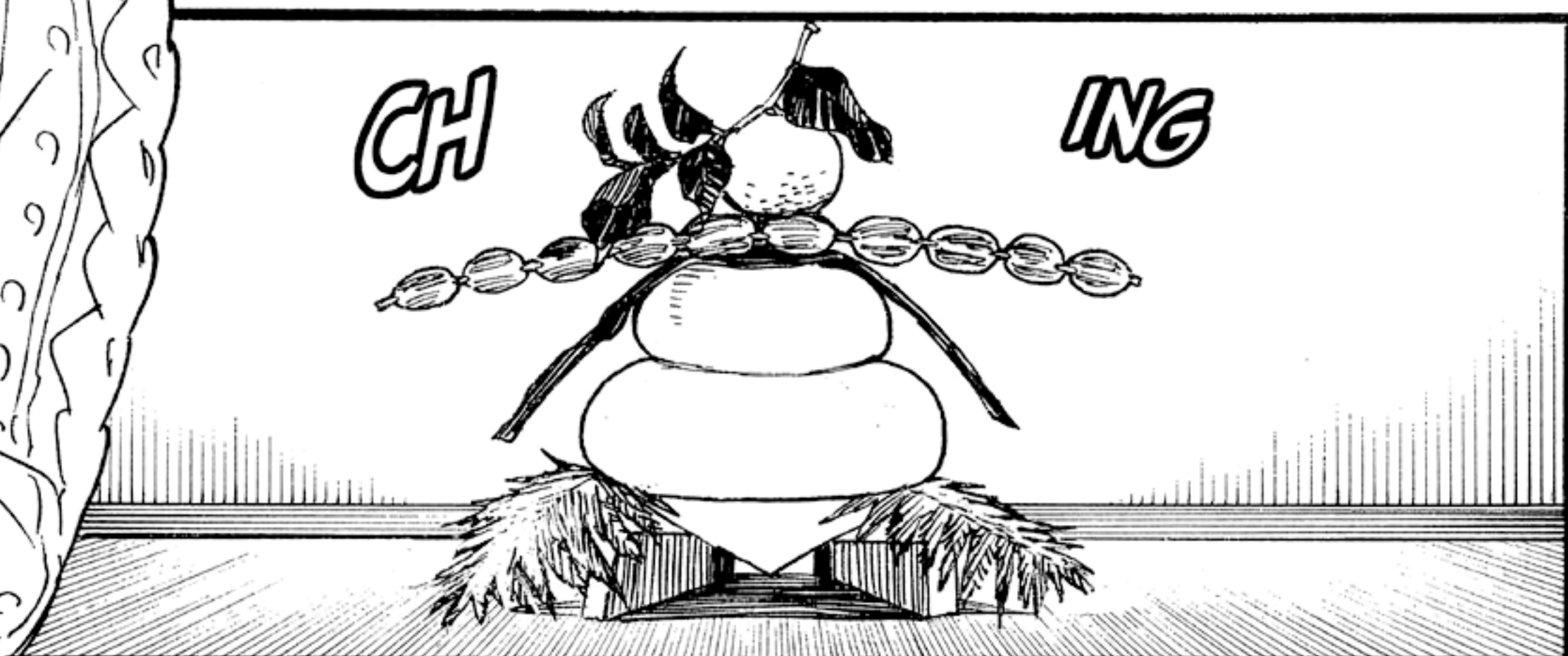
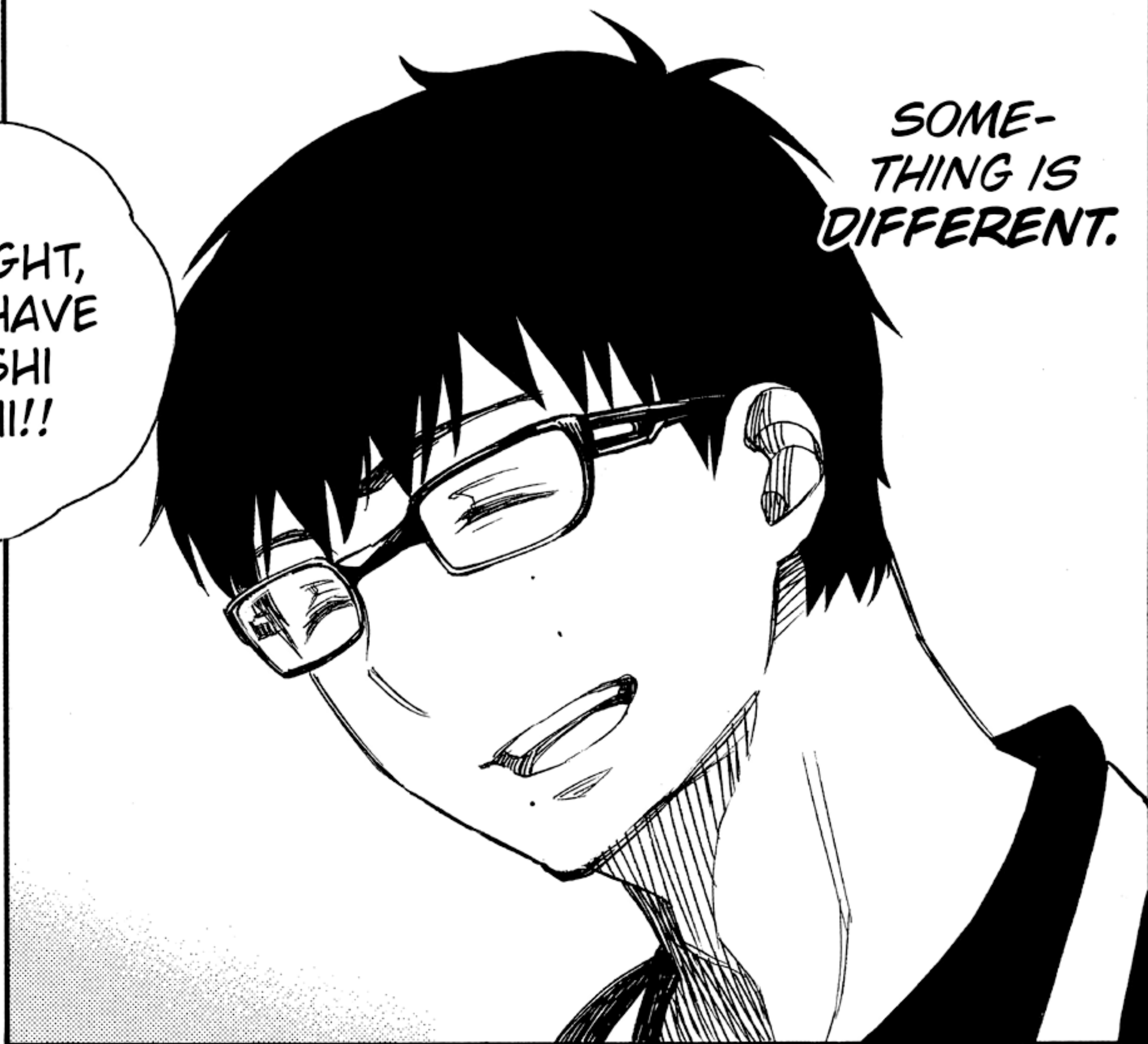
JUST FORGET ABOUT THIS.

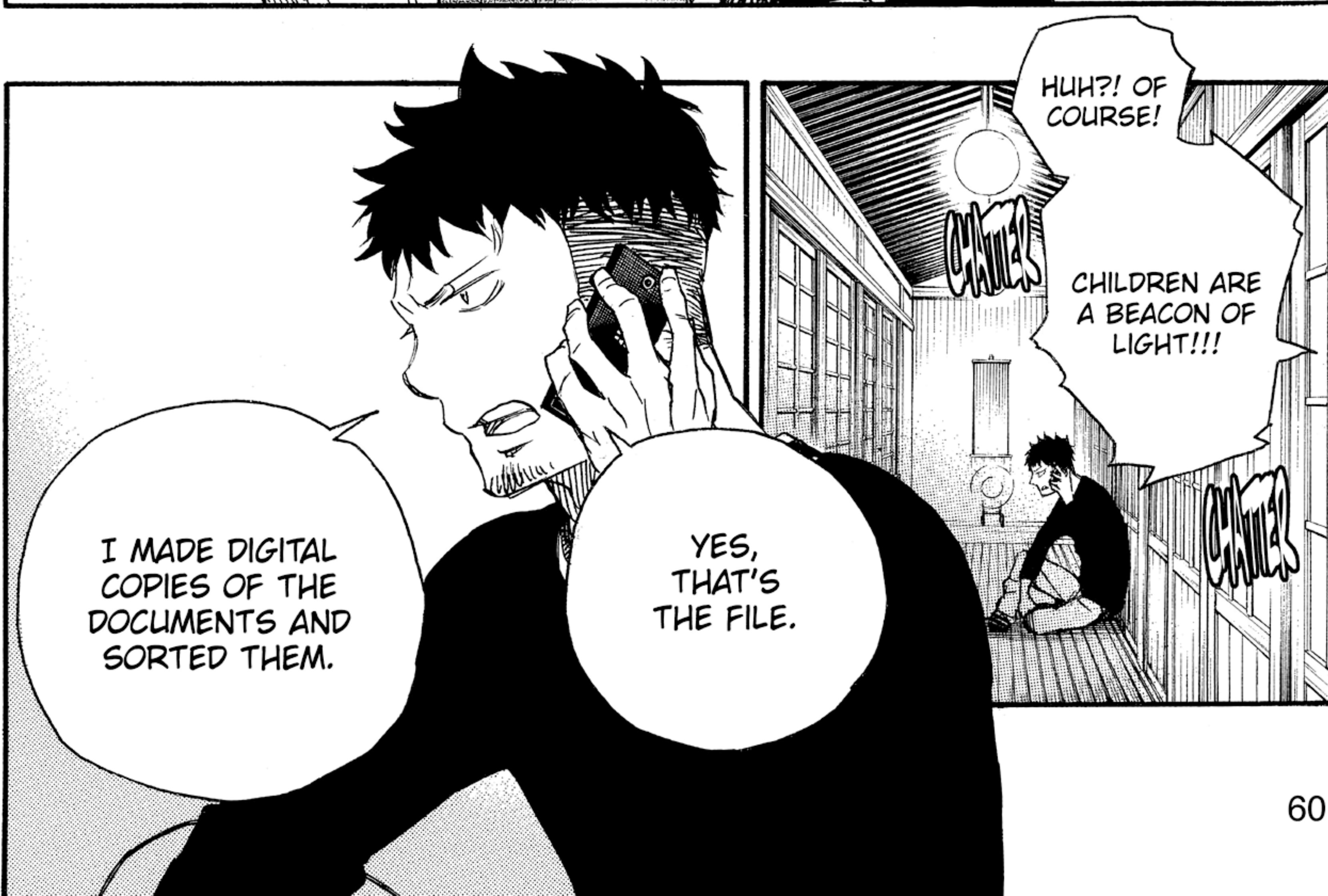
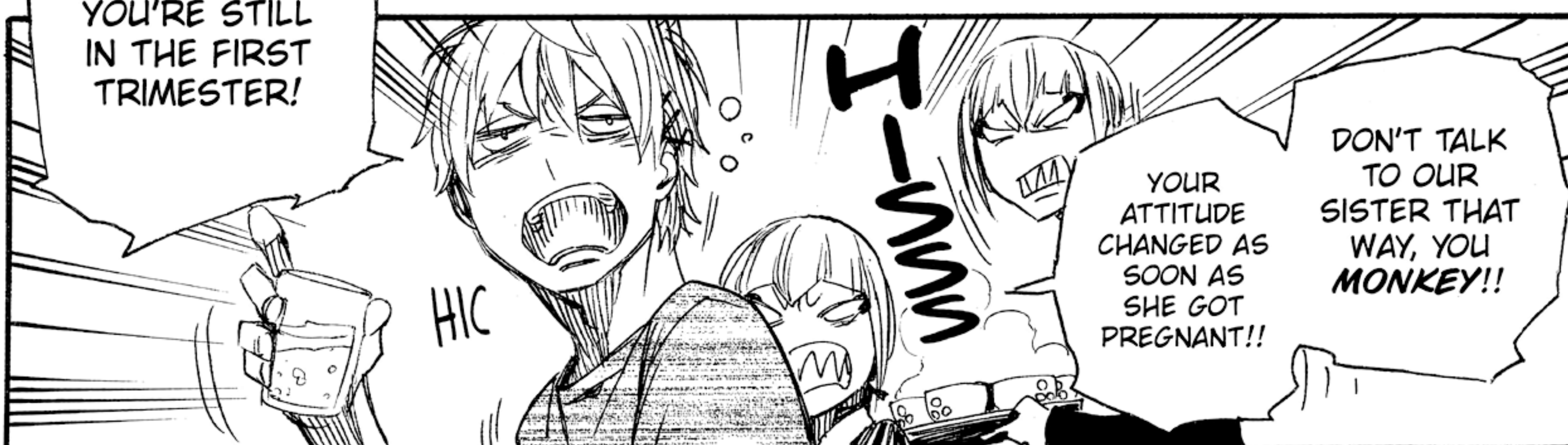


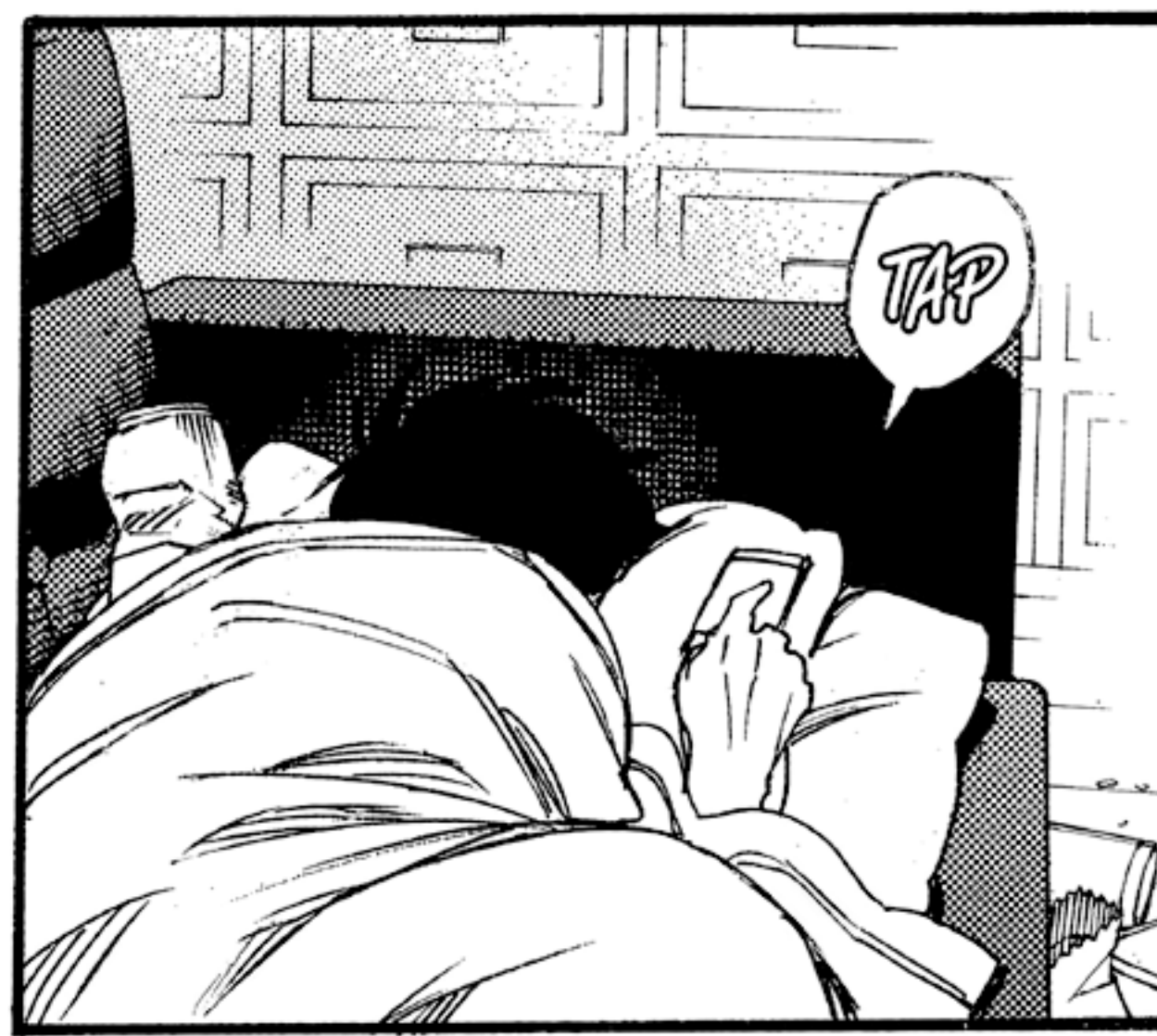
HE'S ACTED THAT WAY EVER SINCE.

...IS WRONG.

HE LOOKS NORMAL, BUT SOMETHING...













LOOK

CAN YOU HELP ME OUT, YAMANTAKA?



WHINE

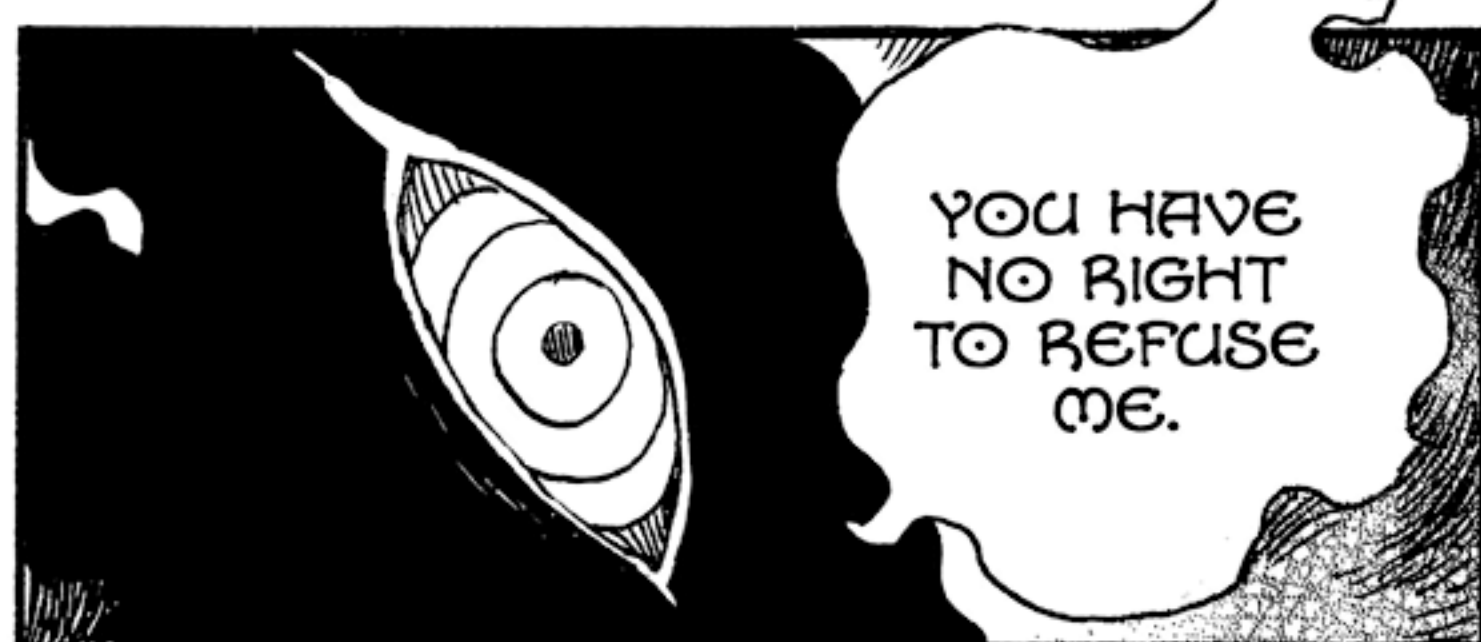
URGH! WHEN DID HE DO THAT?!

I CAN'T GO BACK LIKE THIS!



YOU SUMMONED ME, SO LET ME CUT LOOSE!

NO, DON'T BE RIDICULOUS.



YOU HAVE NO RIGHT TO REFUSE ME.



I CAN BURN AWAY THAT SPIRIT, BUT THERE WILL BE RETALIATION...

YEAH, I GUESS SO.

...BECAUSE ITS WIELDER IS STRONGER THAN YOU.



UH-OH...

RMM RMM FZZ

YOU ARE INEXPERIENCED, AND I HAVE PROTECTED YOU.

IF YOU WANT POWER, YOU SHOULD OBEY ME.



SHIMA, YOU
CAN HANDLE
YAMANTAKA
NOW?

KONEKO!



What's
making that
jangling
noise?!

UM...
RECENTLY?

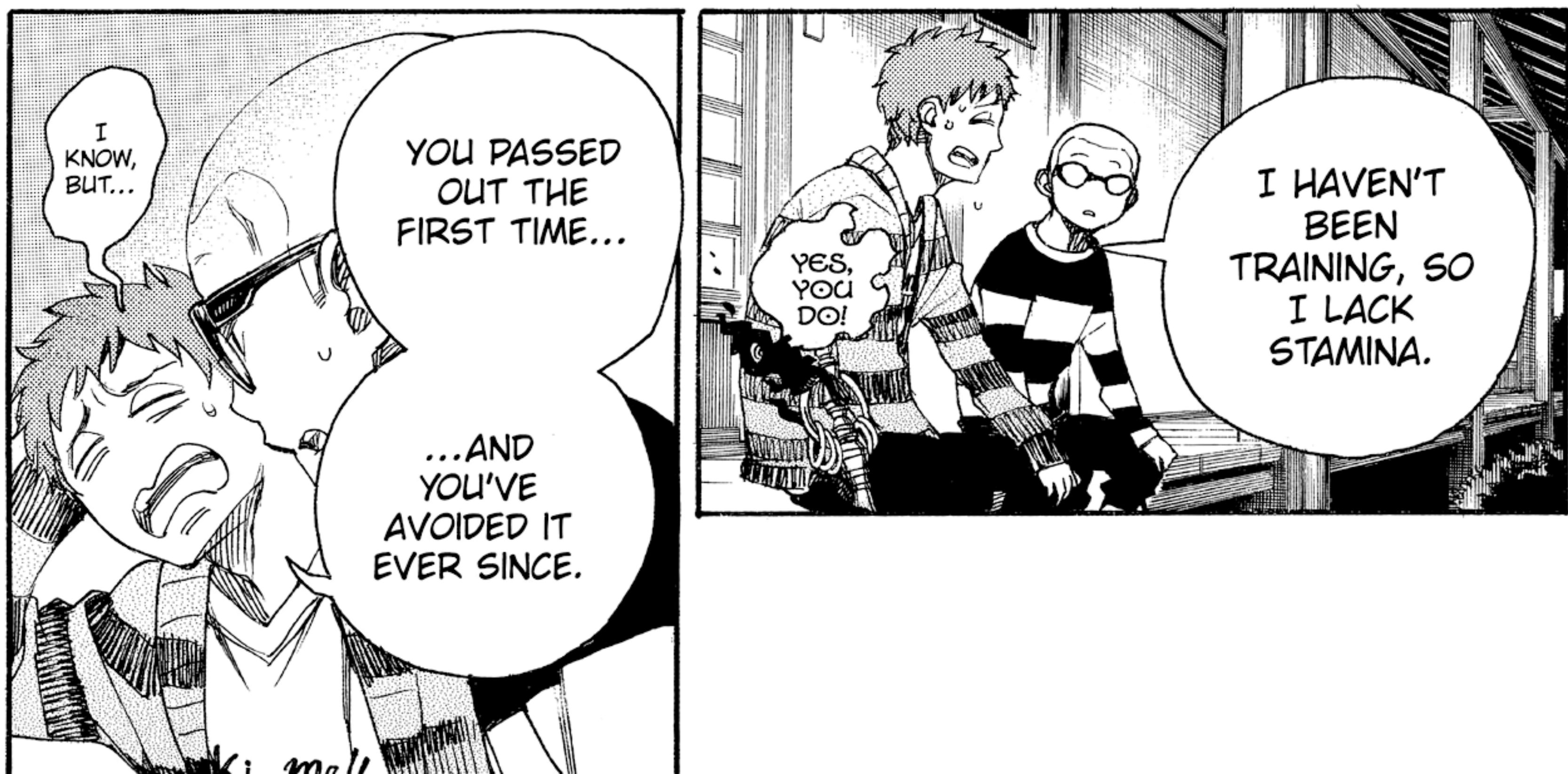
WA
HA
HA

KUN-
KUN

I'VE BEEN
WONDERING
ABOUT
THAT.

WHEN
DID YOU LEARN
TO CONTROL
HIM?

BUT I STILL
CAN'T DO IT
VERY WELL!



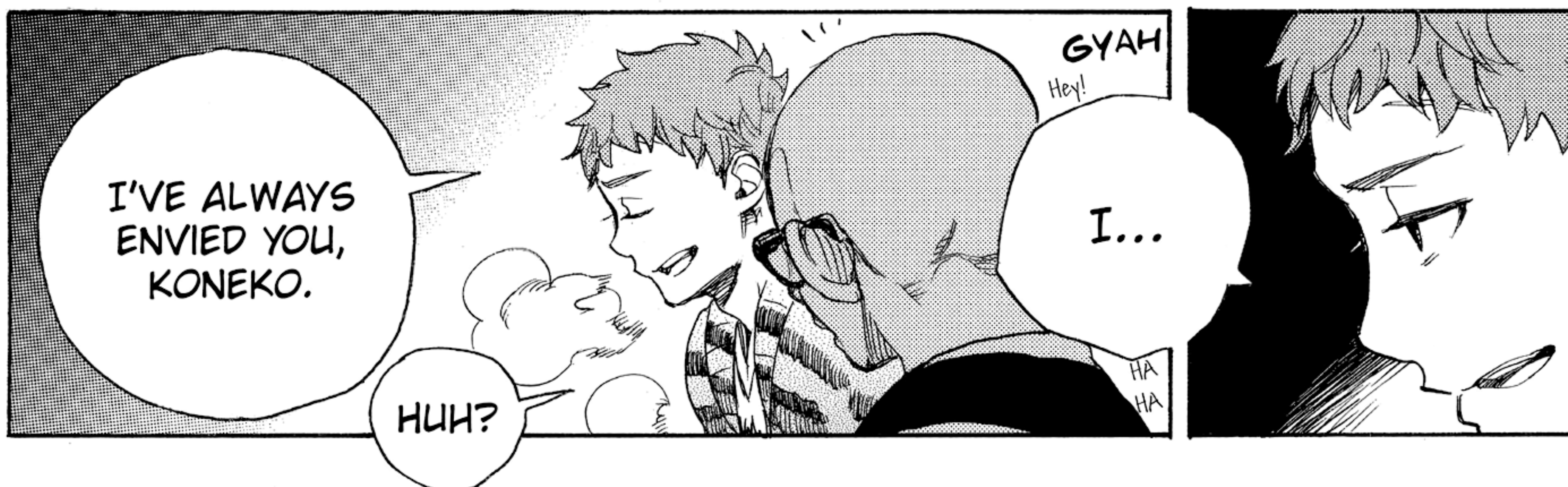
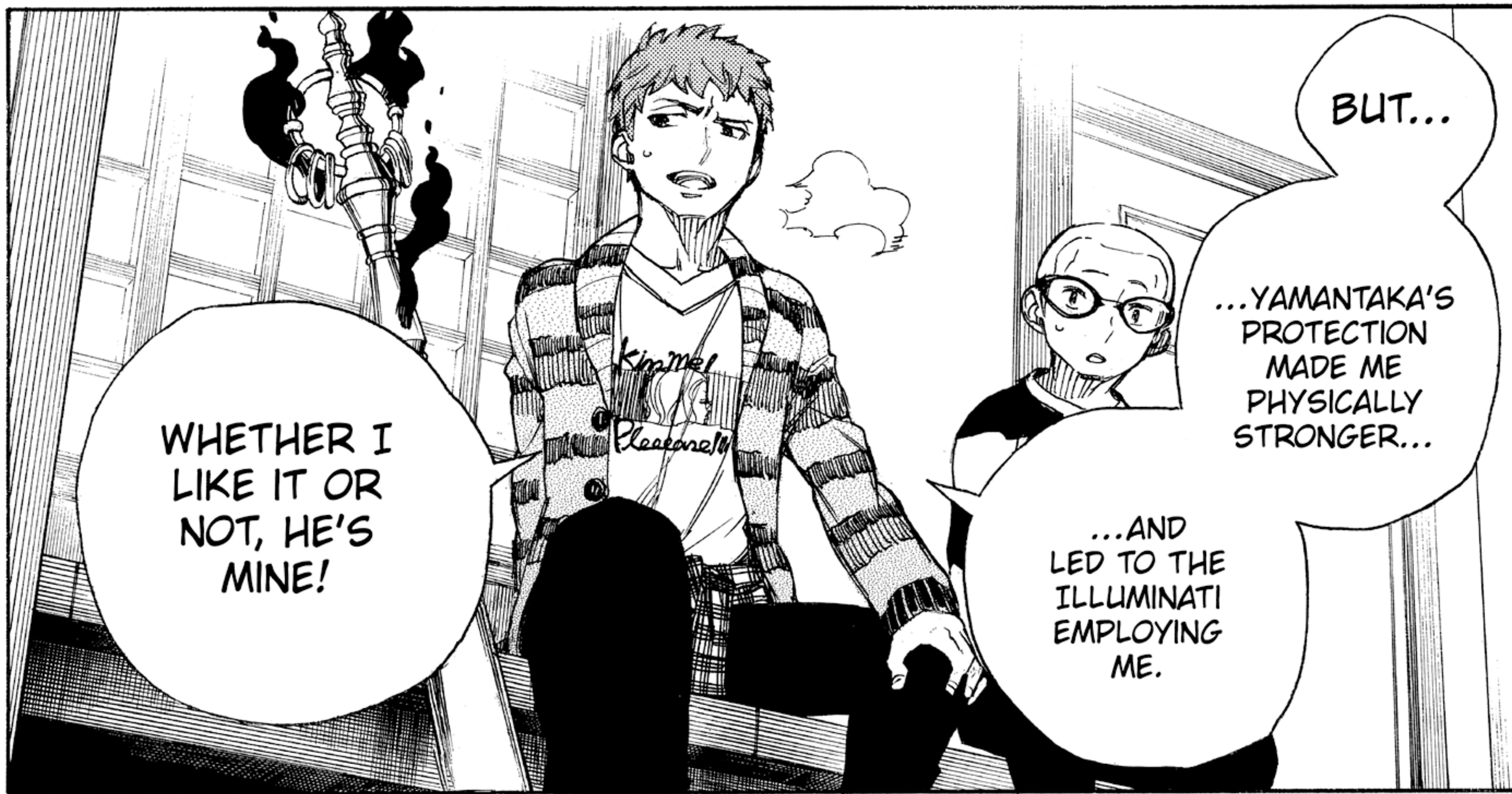
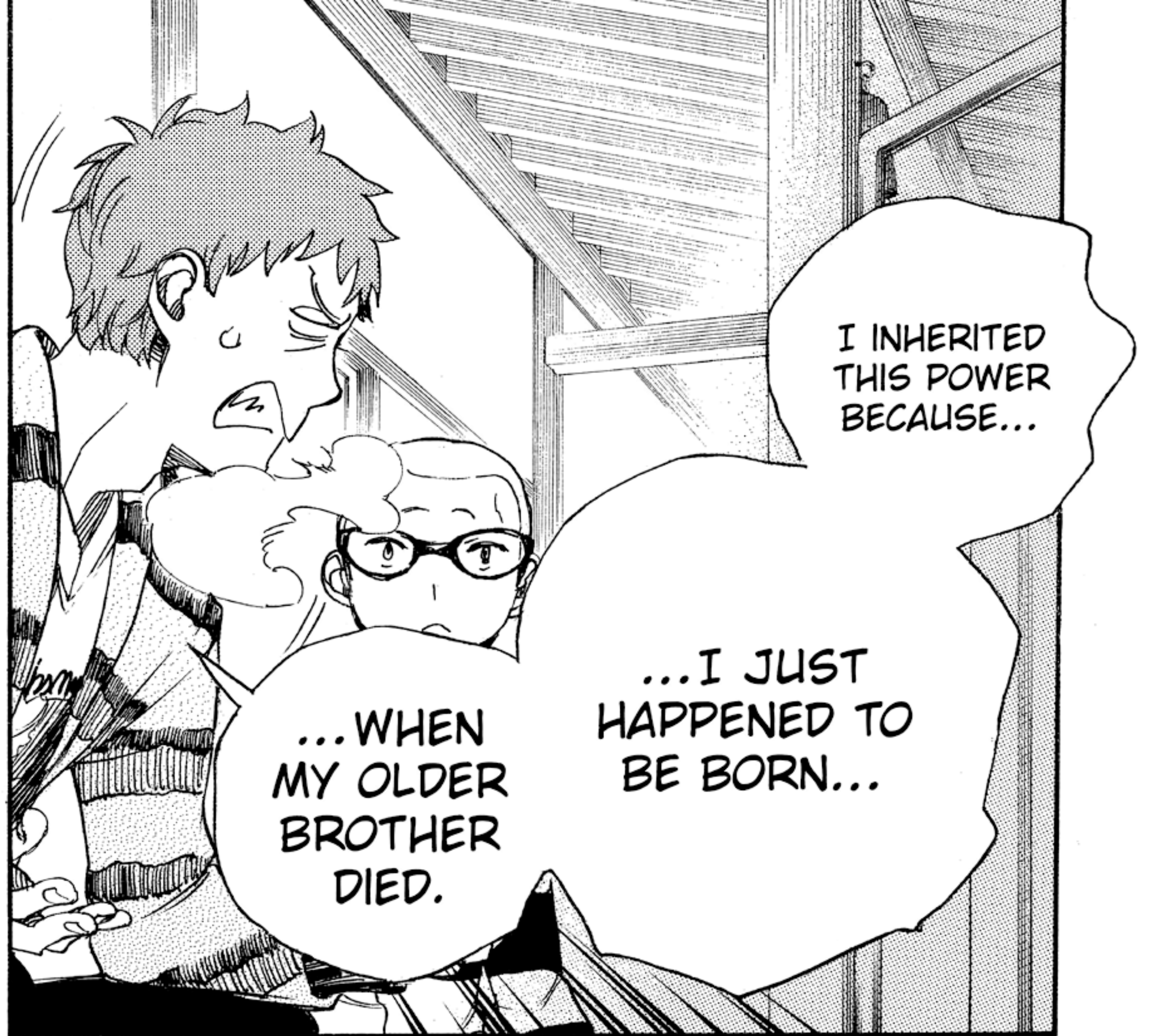
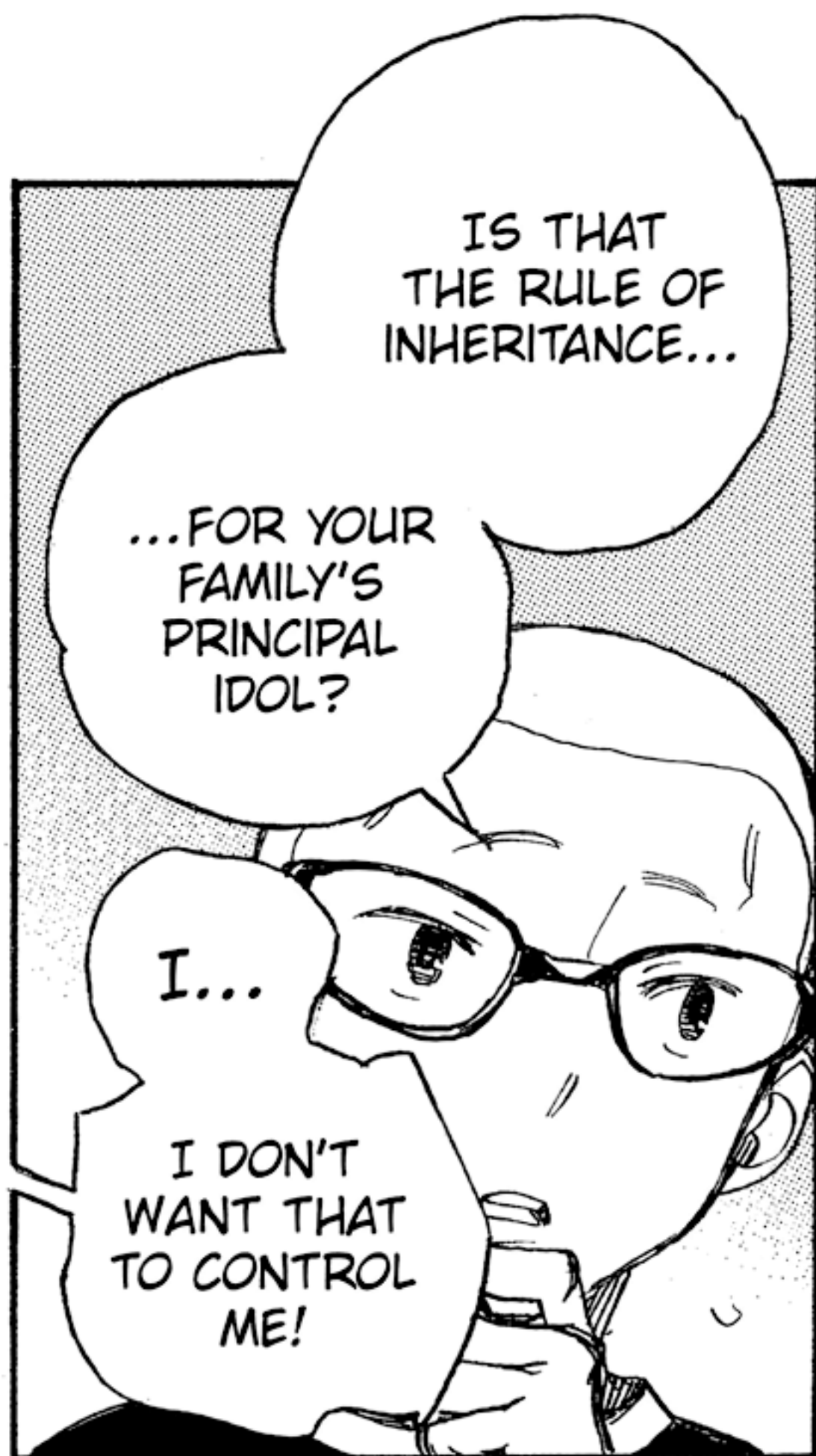
I
KNOW,
BUT...

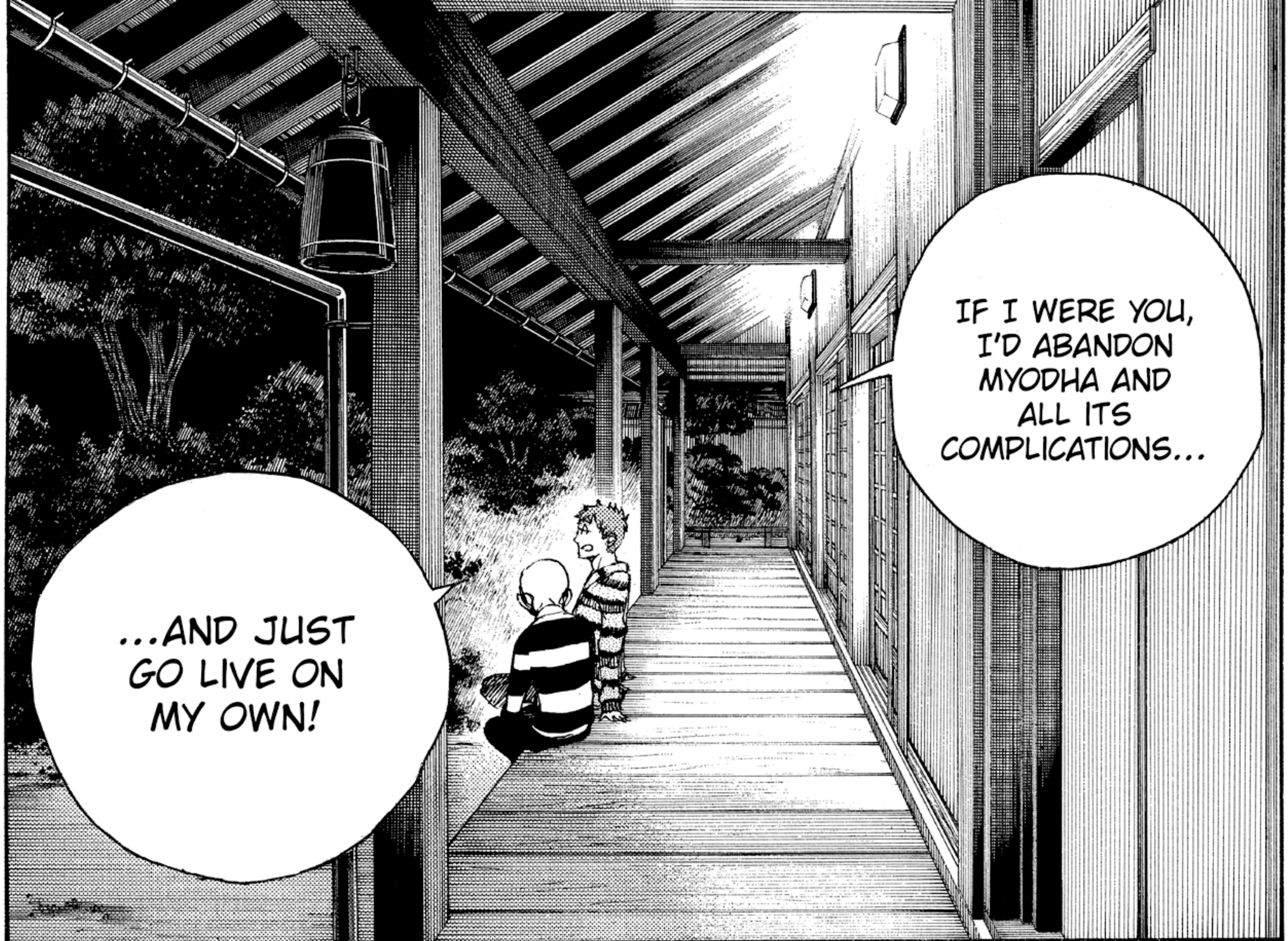
YOU PASSED
OUT THE
FIRST TIME...

...AND
YOU'VE
AVOIDED IT
EVER SINCE.

YES,
YOU
DO!

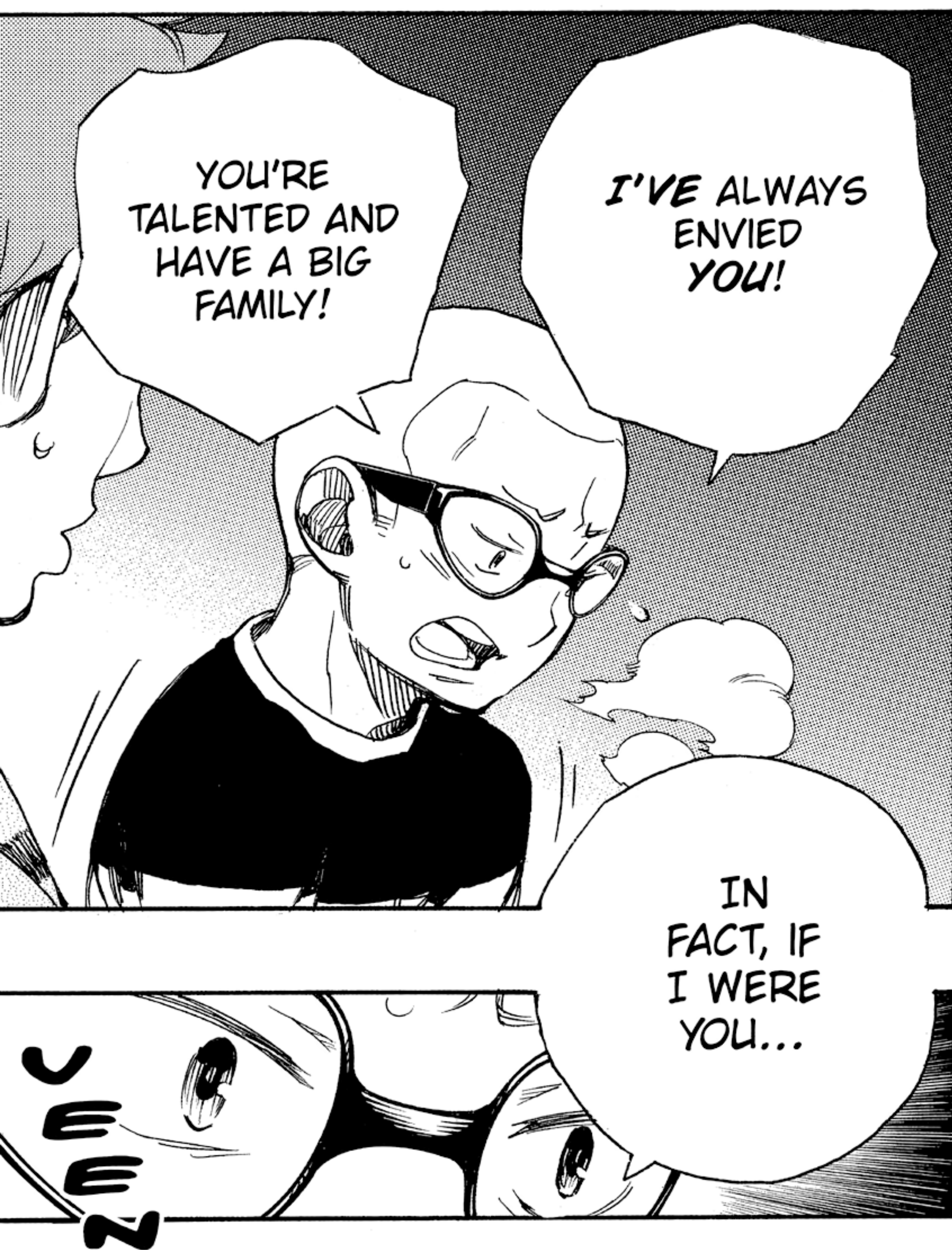
I HAVEN'T
BEEN
TRAINING, SO
I LACK
STAMINA.





...AND JUST
GO LIVE ON
MY OWN!

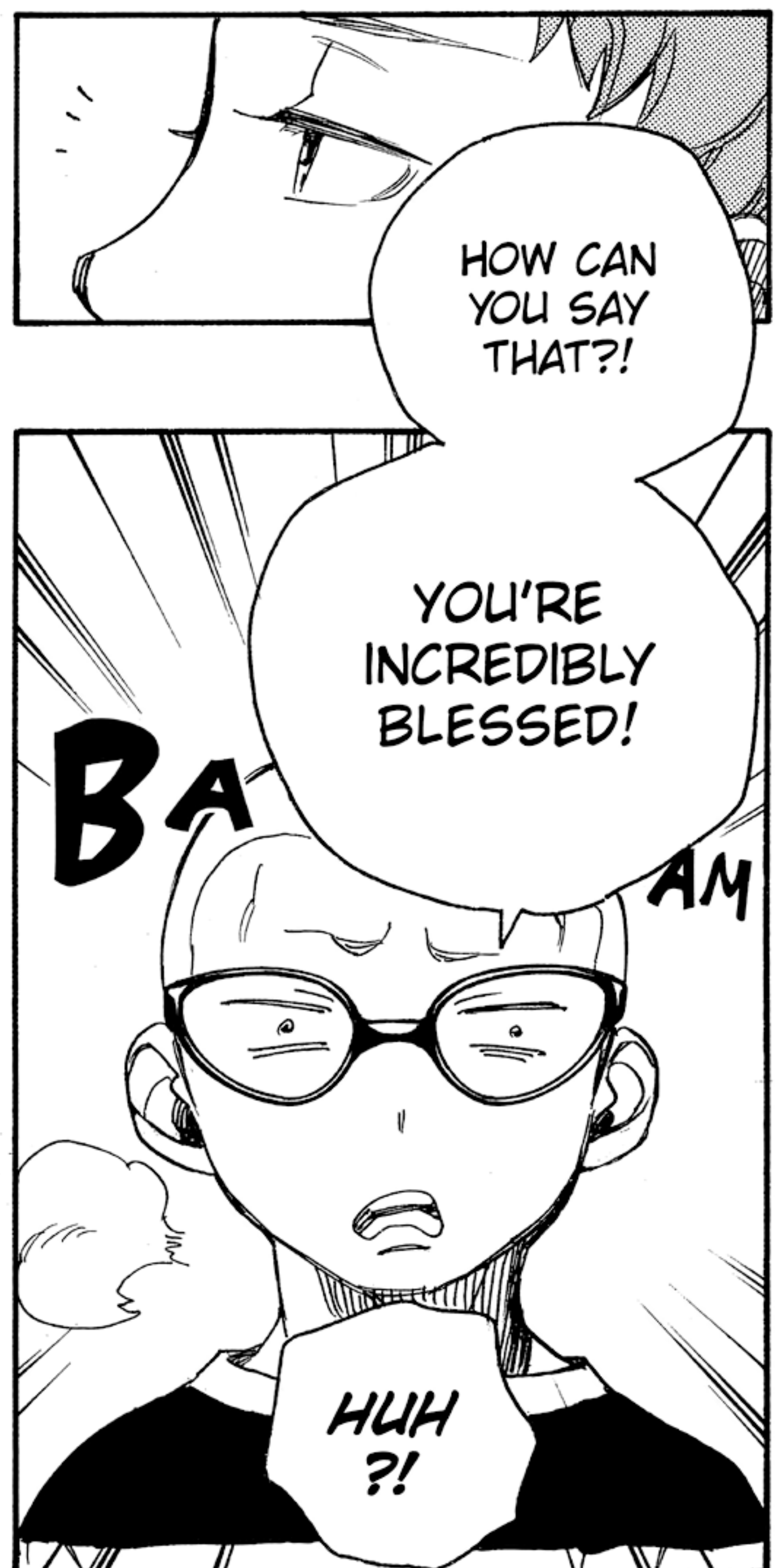
IF I WERE YOU,
I'D ABANDON
MYODHA AND
ALL ITS
COMPLICATIONS...



YOU'RE
TALENTED AND
HAVE A BIG
FAMILY!

I'VE ALWAYS
ENVIED
YOU!

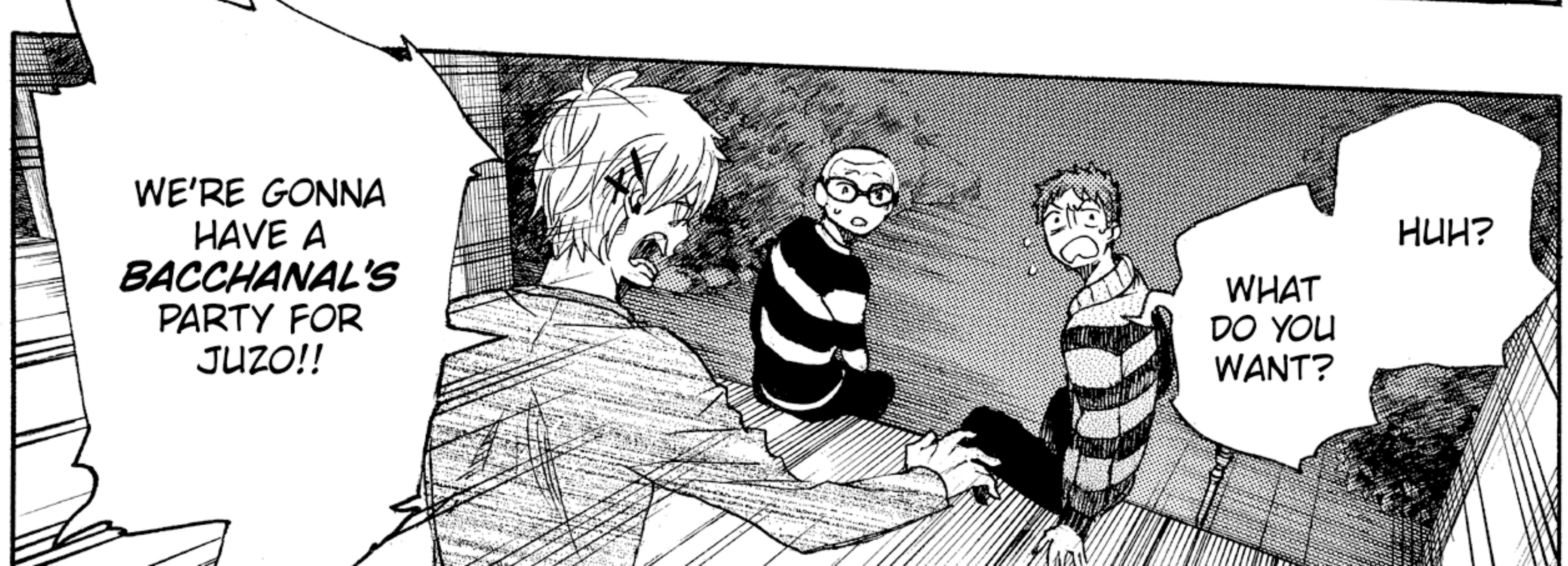
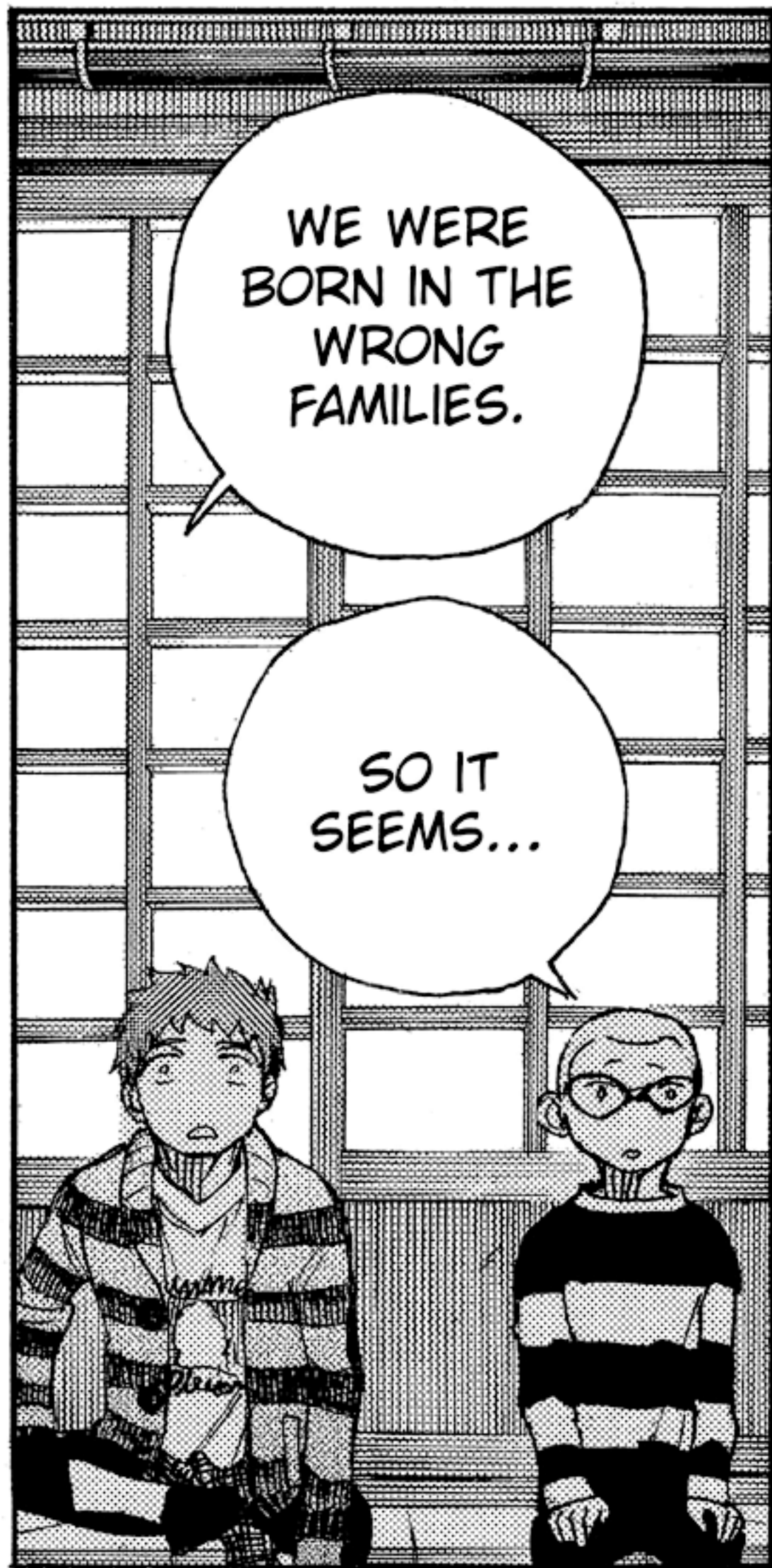
IN
FACT, IF
I WERE
YOU...



HOW CAN
YOU SAY
THAT?!

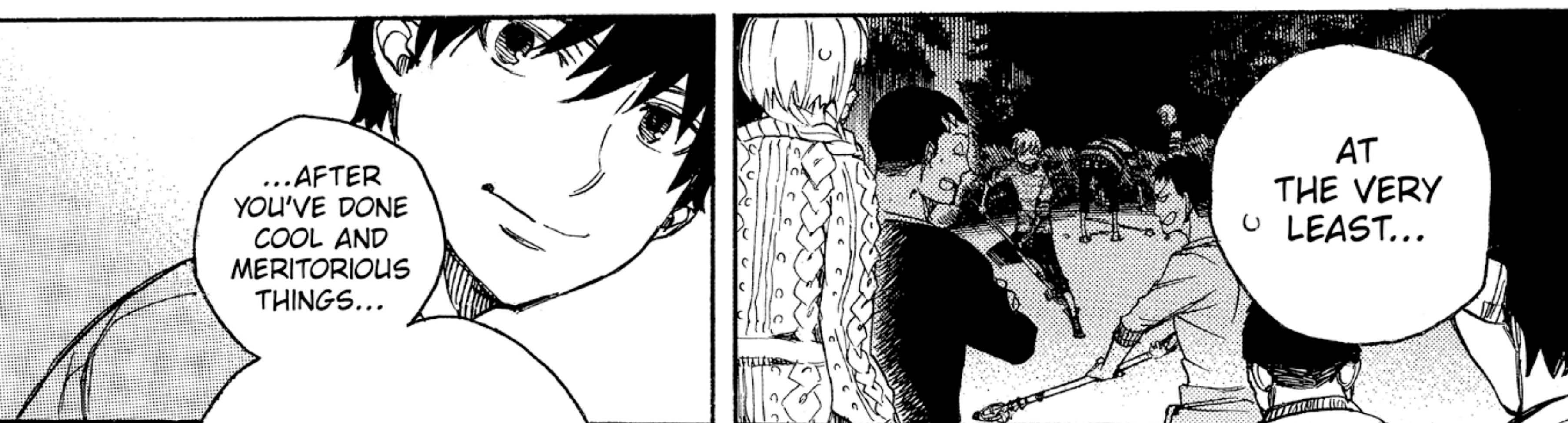
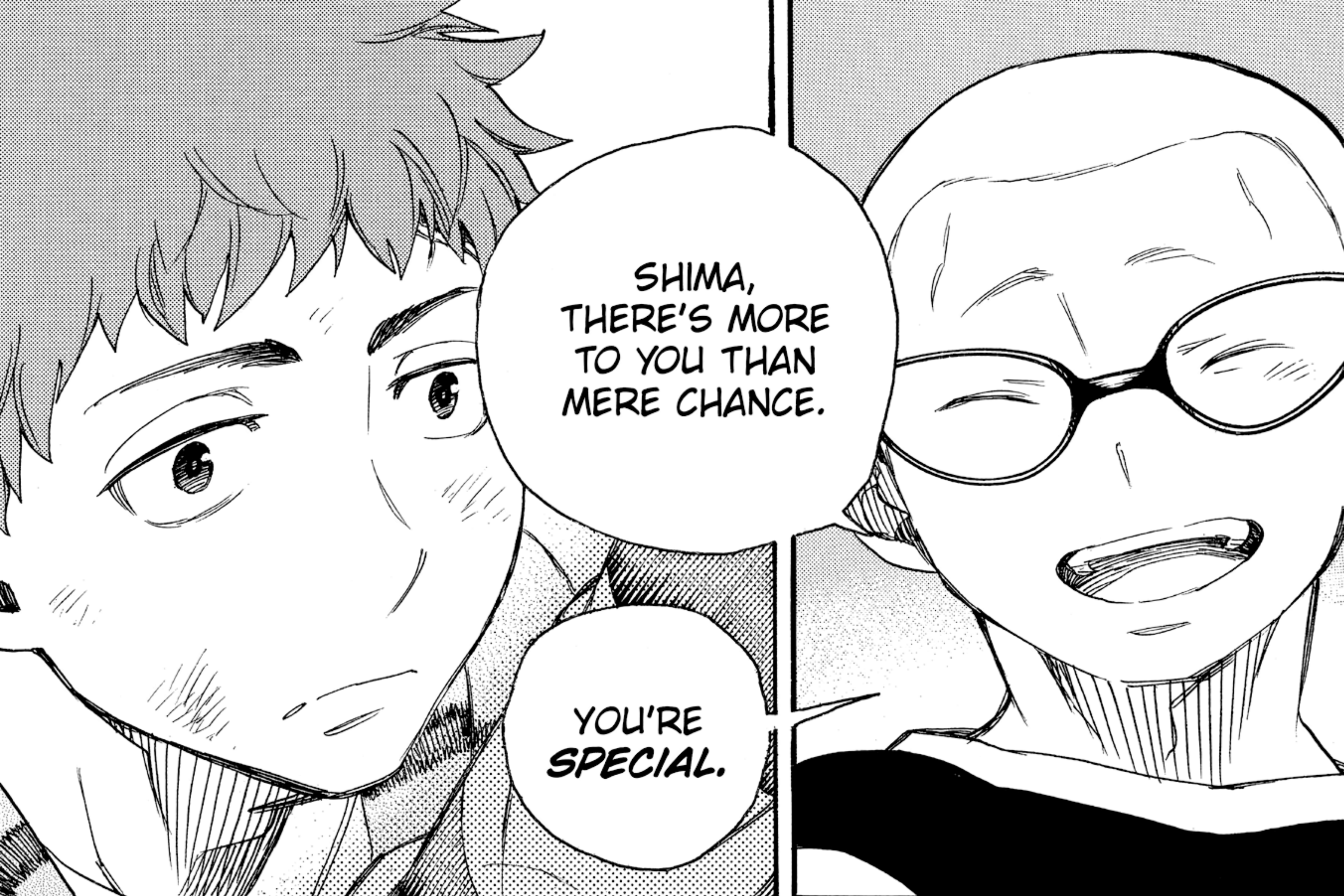
YOU'RE
INCREDIBLY
BLESSED!

HUH
?!







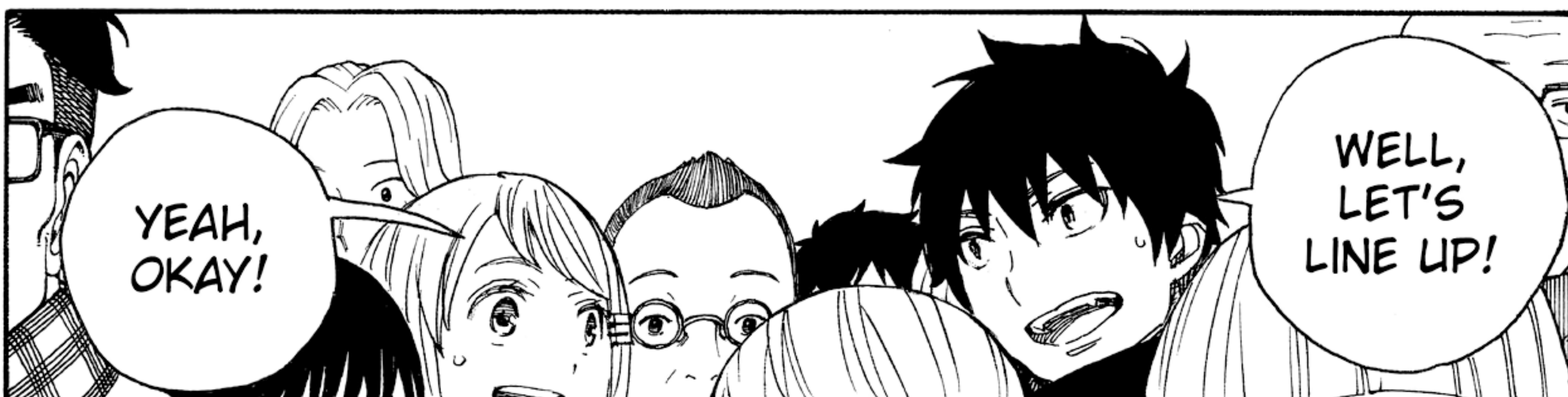


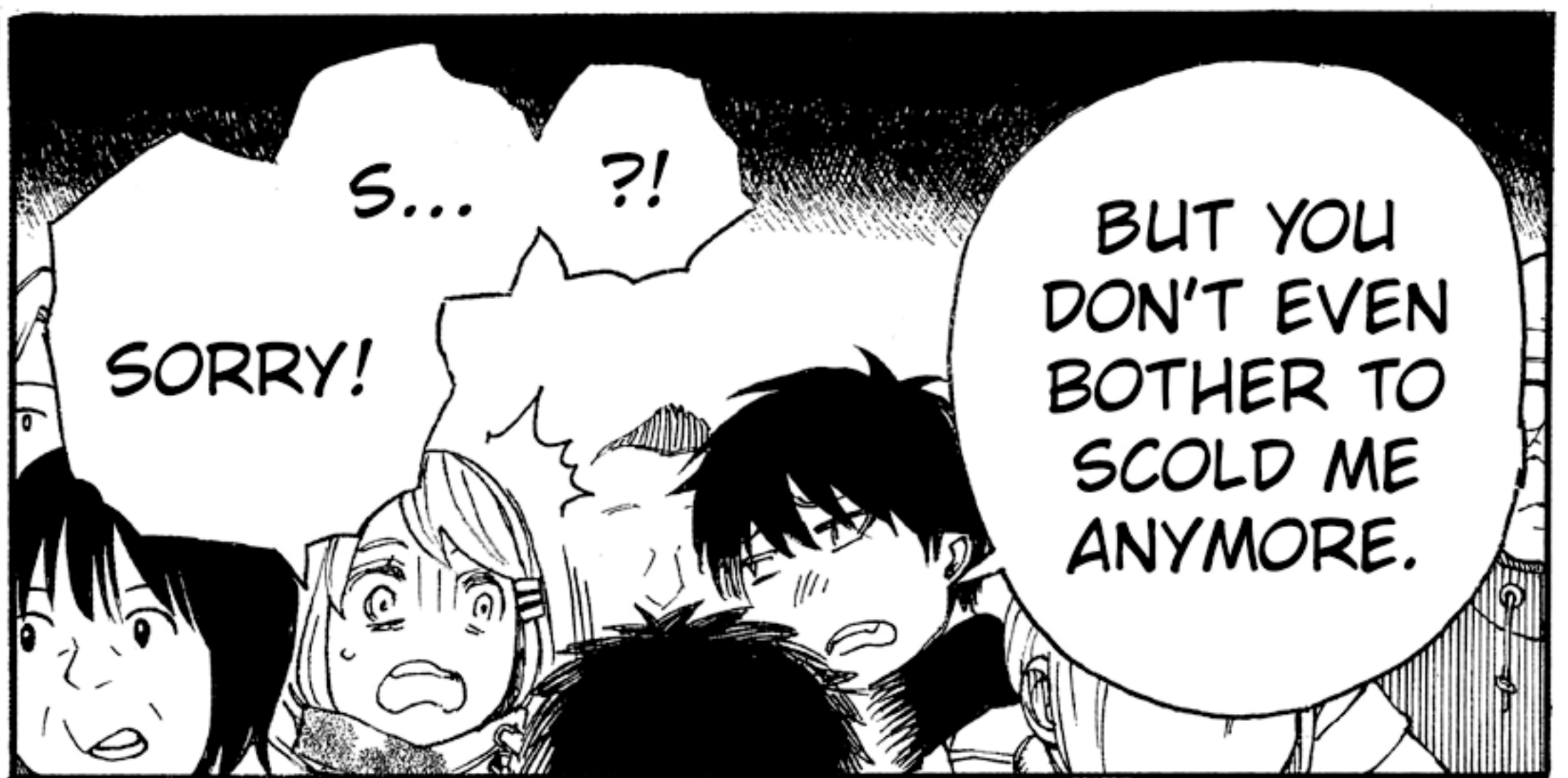
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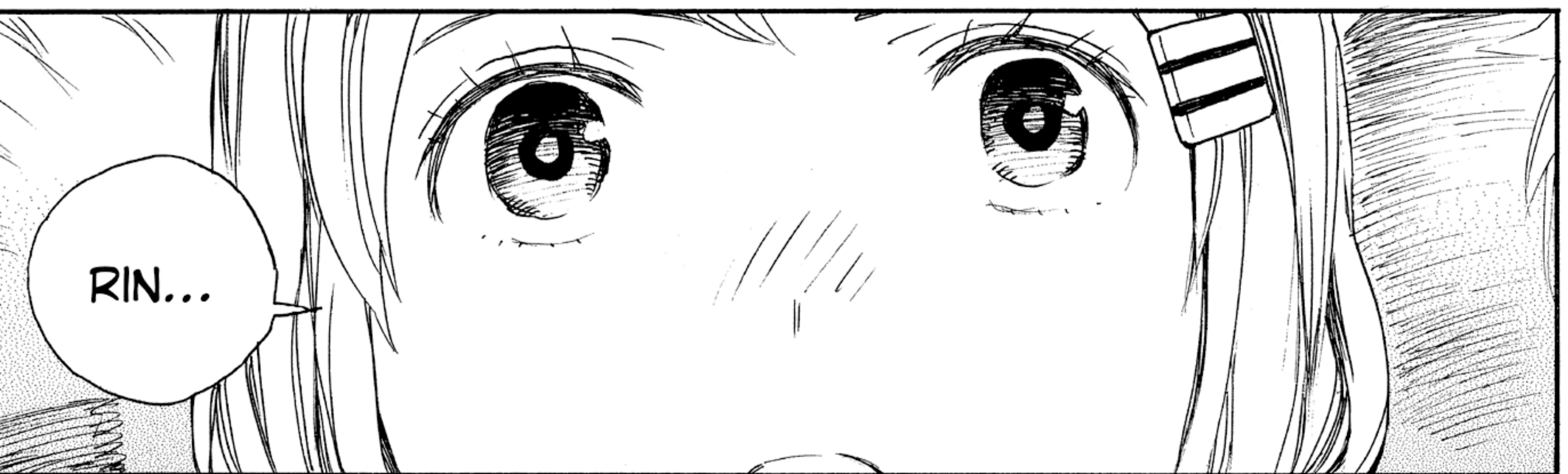
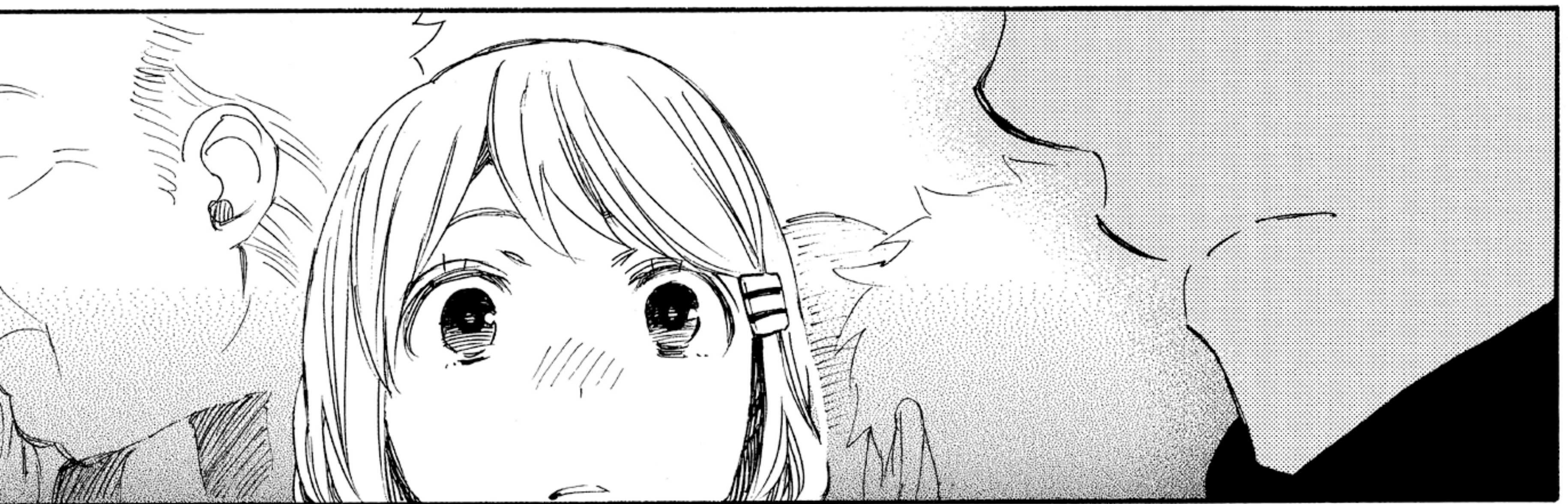
THE NEW YEAR ARRIVES...







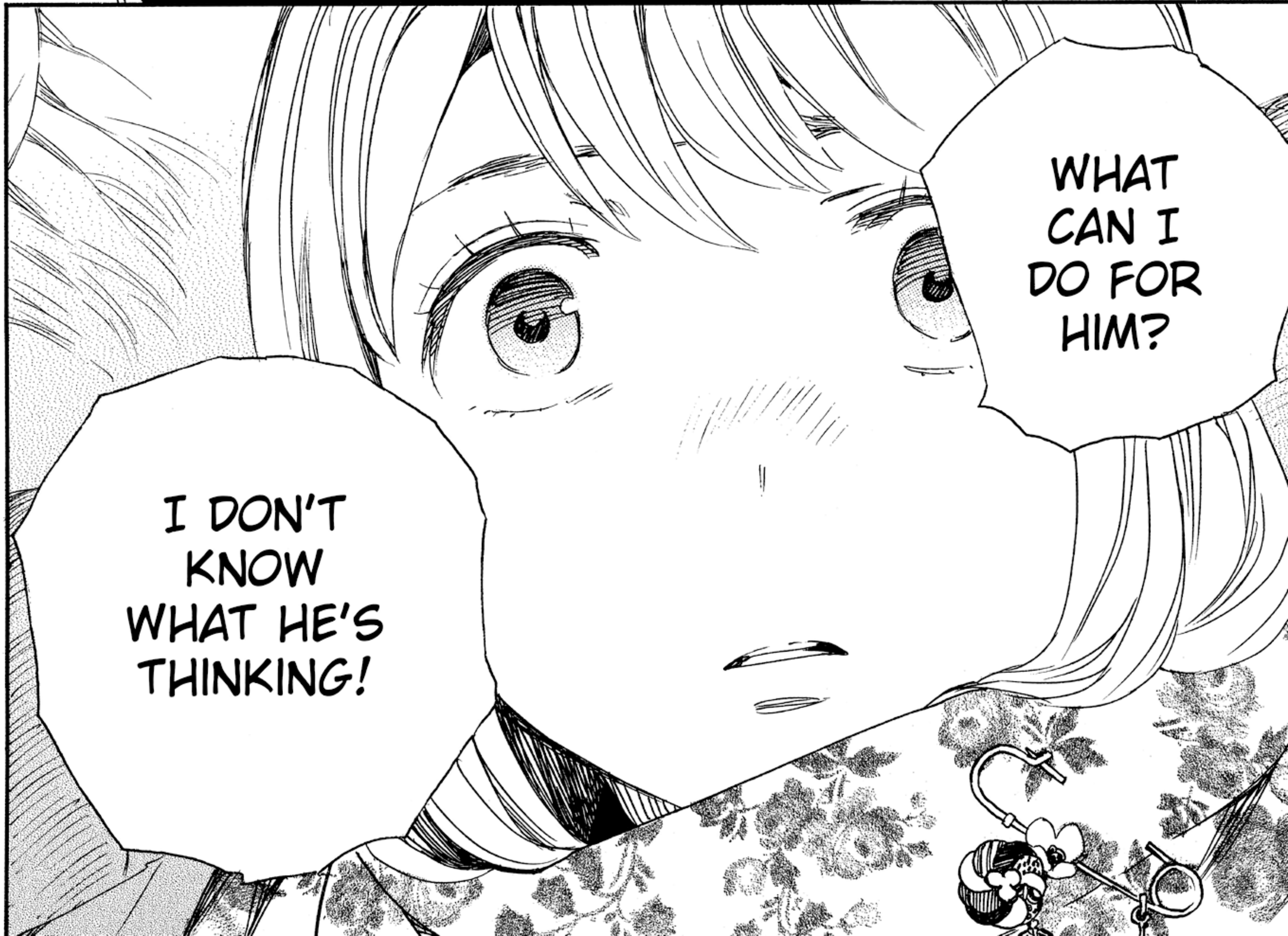






...DON'T
UNDERSTAND
HIM
ANYMORE.

I...

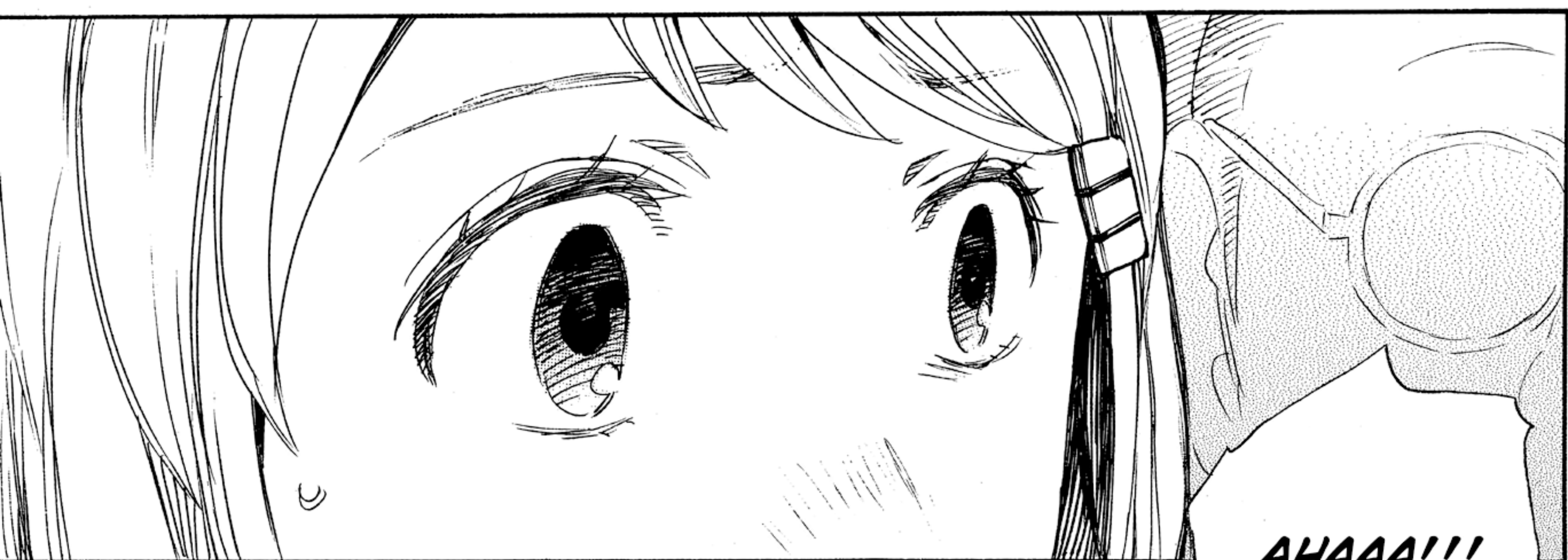


I DON'T
KNOW
WHAT HE'S
THINKING!

WHAT
CAN I
DO FOR
HIM?



EVEN
THOUGH HE'S
MY LITTLE
BROTHER...



**AHAAA!!!
THERE
THEY ARE!**



AW,
MAN...!

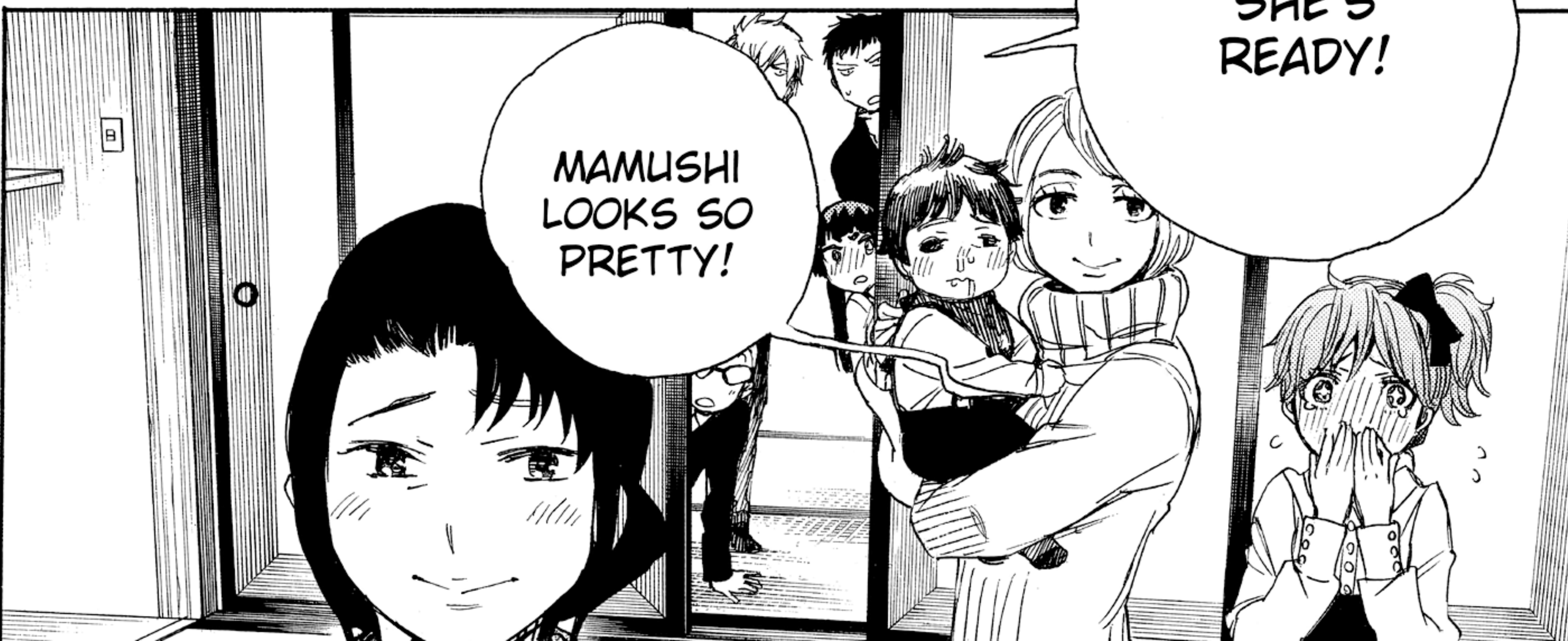
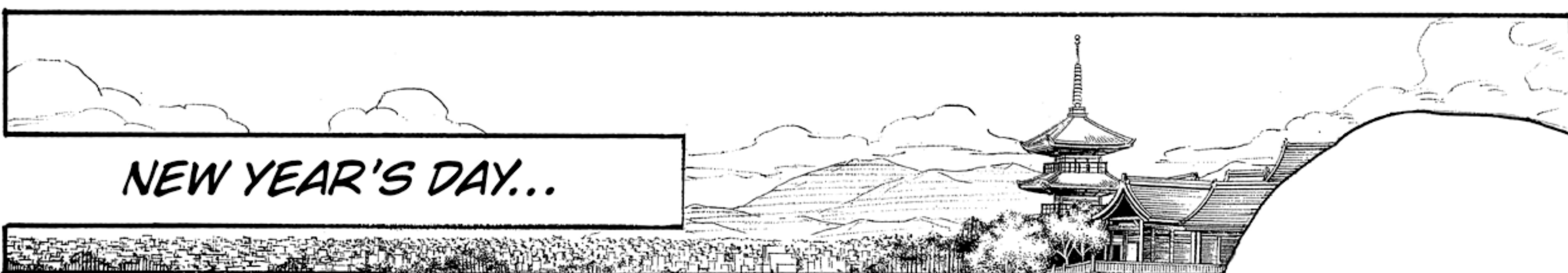


JUZO'LL
KILL ME!

WHY'D YOU
WANDER
OFF?!

**SATAN
AND
SHIROMI
!!**

CHATTER





A close-up, black and white illustration of a person's face, partially obscured by shadows and a speech bubble. The person has dark hair and is looking towards the right. The speech bubble is a simple circle with a tail pointing to the person's mouth.

SHE'S
ABSOLUTELY
BEAUTIFUL...





I can hear you!
Geez...

Kinzo!

Ha
ha
ha!

Kinzo,
you
suck!

Sure
cleans up
well.

Looking
great!

AHH...

THIS
FAMILY
FEELING
...

...IS
REALLY
GREAT.

DON'TCHA
THINK...

...YUKIO?

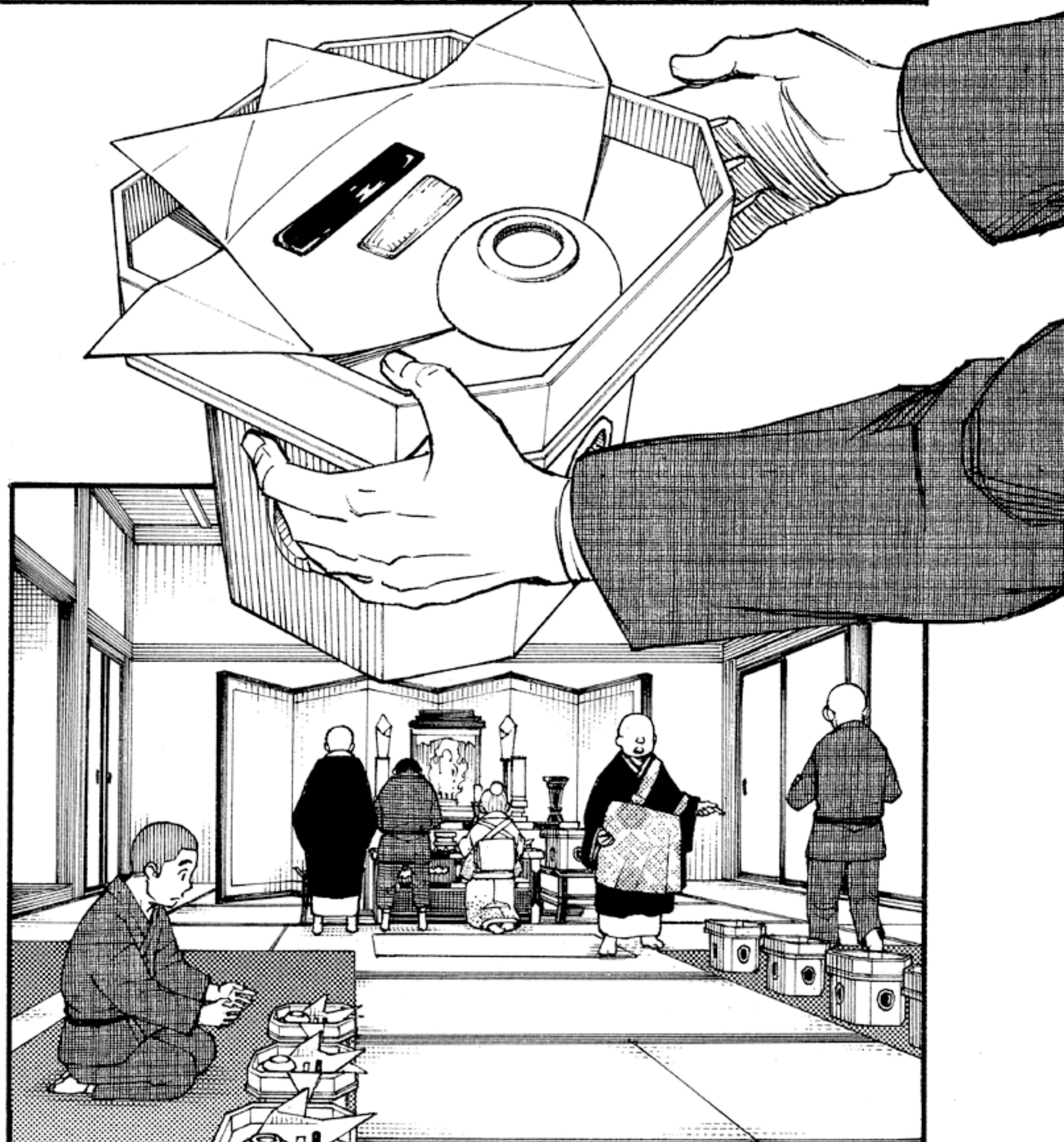


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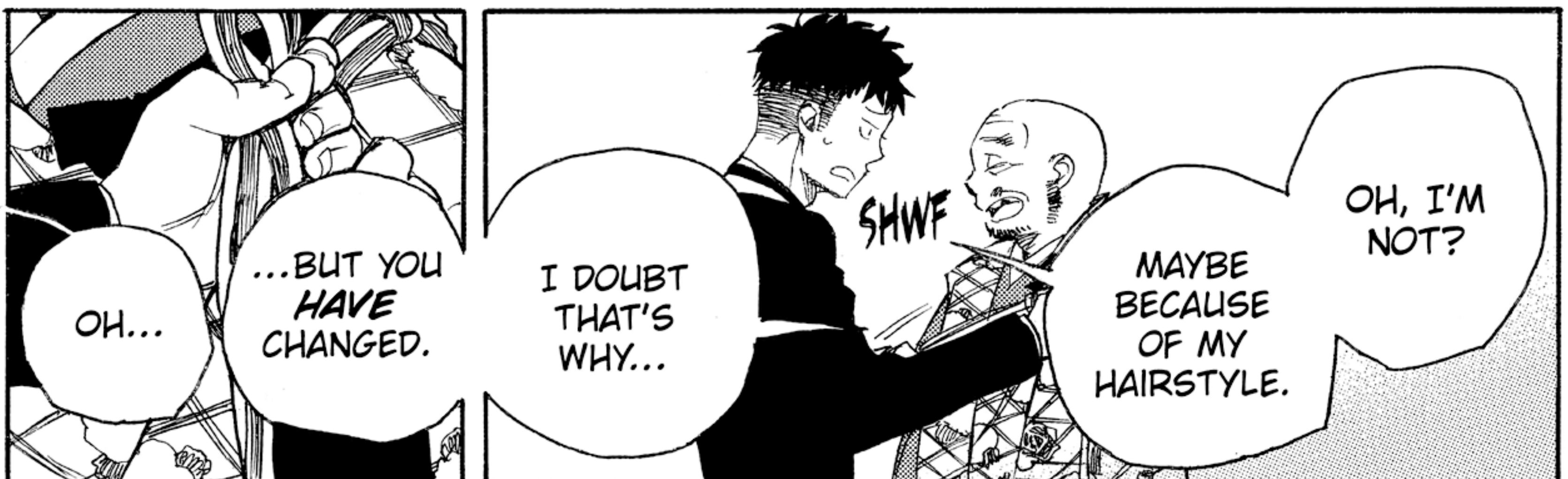
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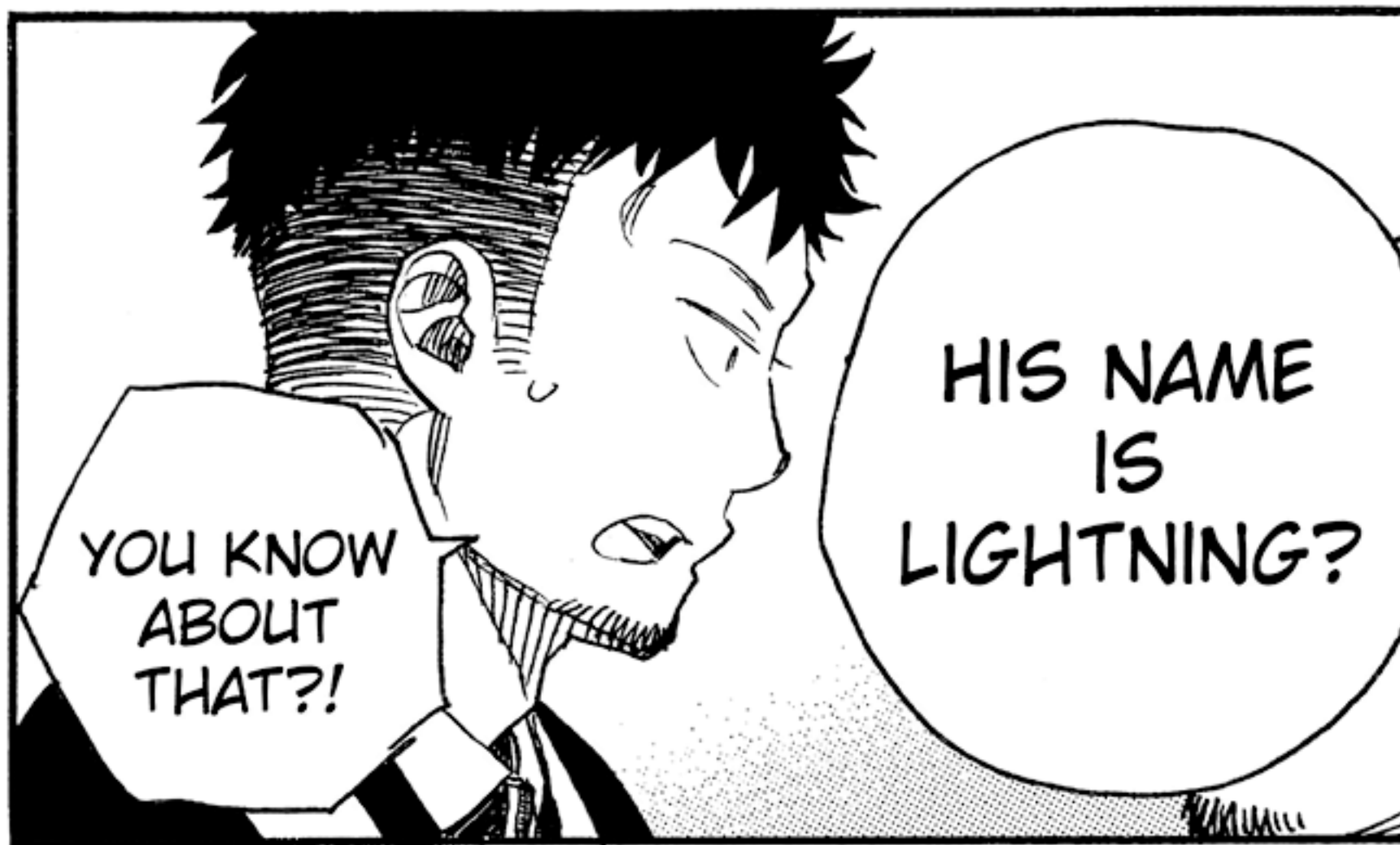




...MUSOUFLUKUDENNE
HIBUMYOUOLIGYOU
KOU DOSHOSHUJOU.

DAISAIGEDATSUFUKU
...





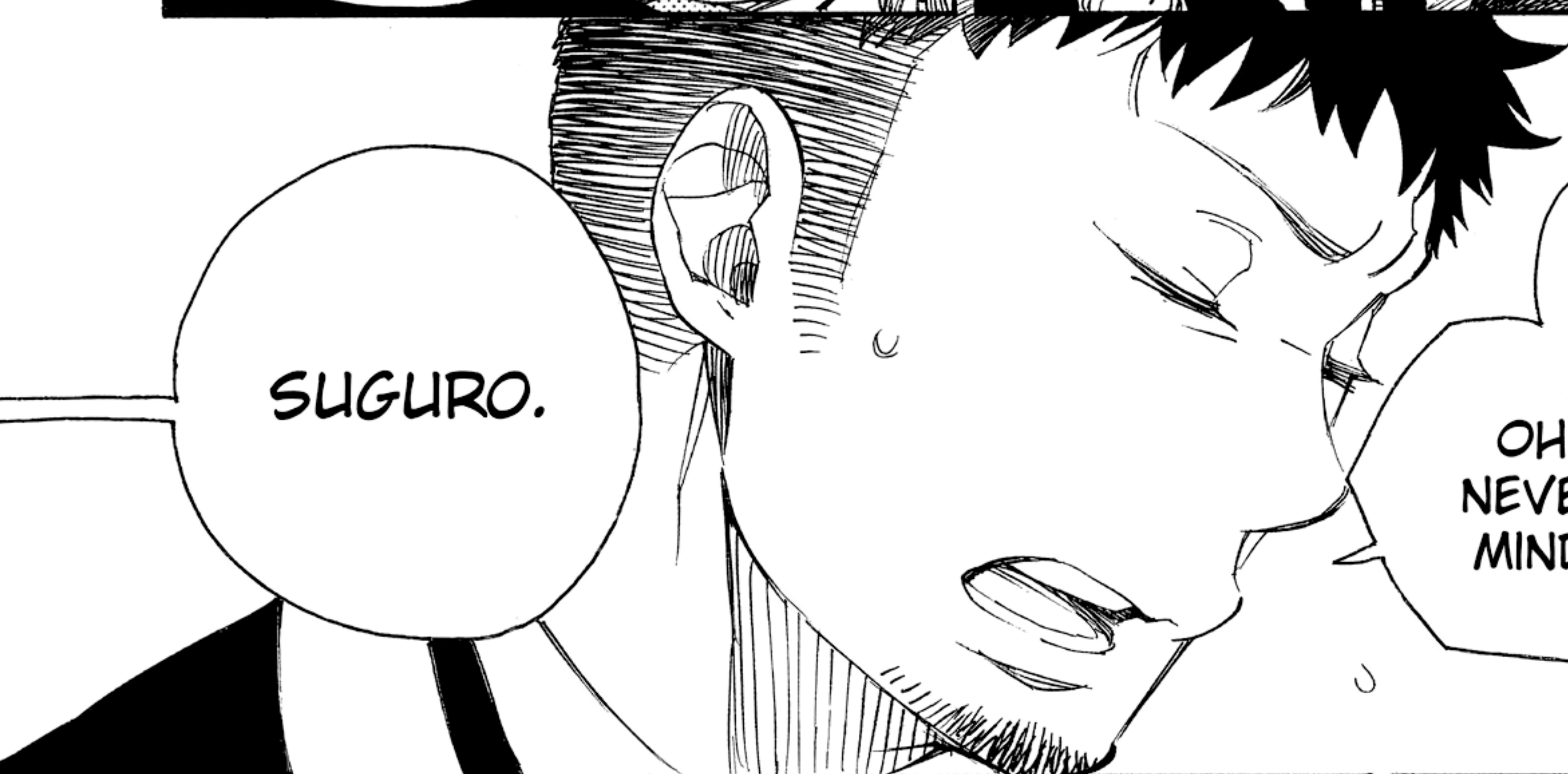


WHY
DO YOU
ASK?

...



...YOU KNEW
SHIRO
FUJIMOTO,
RIGHT?



SUGURO.

WELL,
UM...

OH,
NEVER
MIND.



BON...

...I'LL
TAKE OVER
HERE.

GOZO...

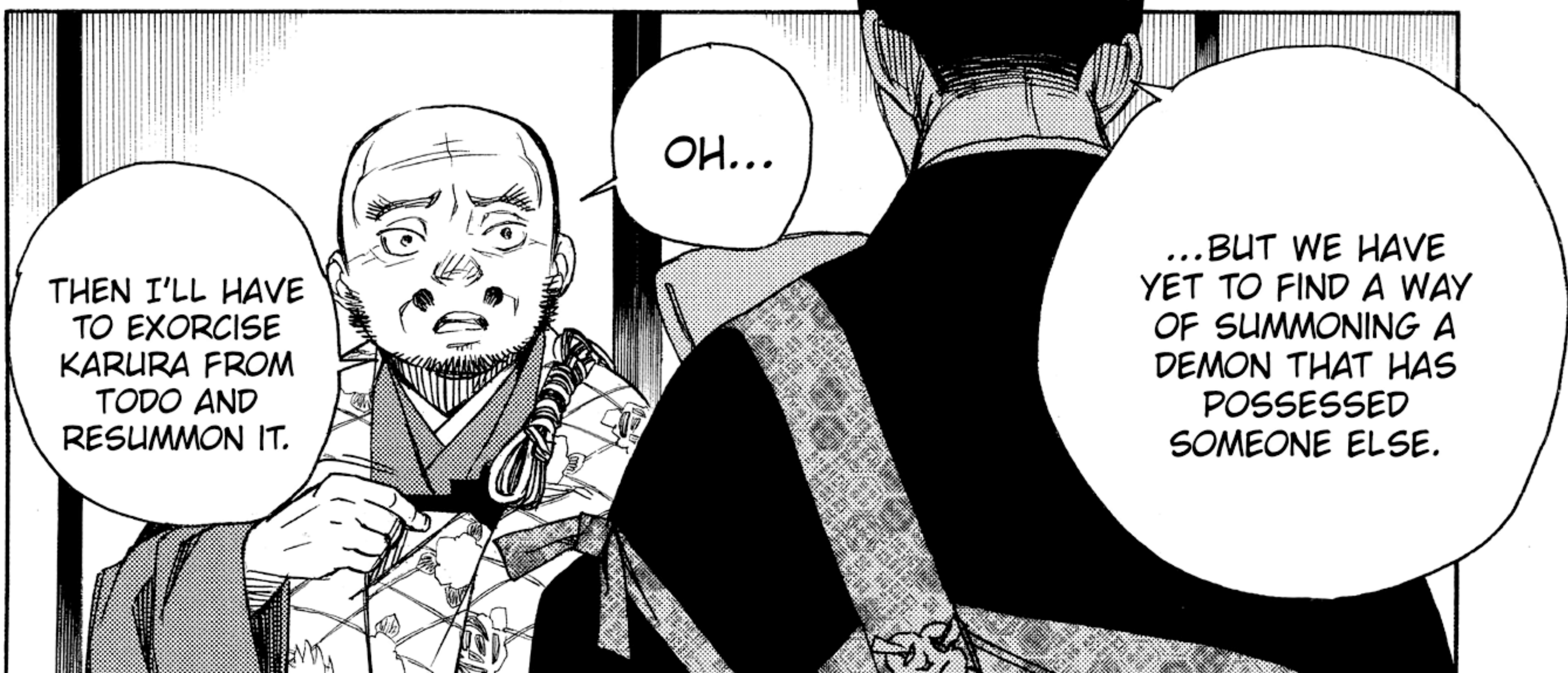


YOUR
MOTHER IS
CALLING FOR
YOU.

SORRY, I
WAS JUST
TALKING TO
MY FATHER.



!





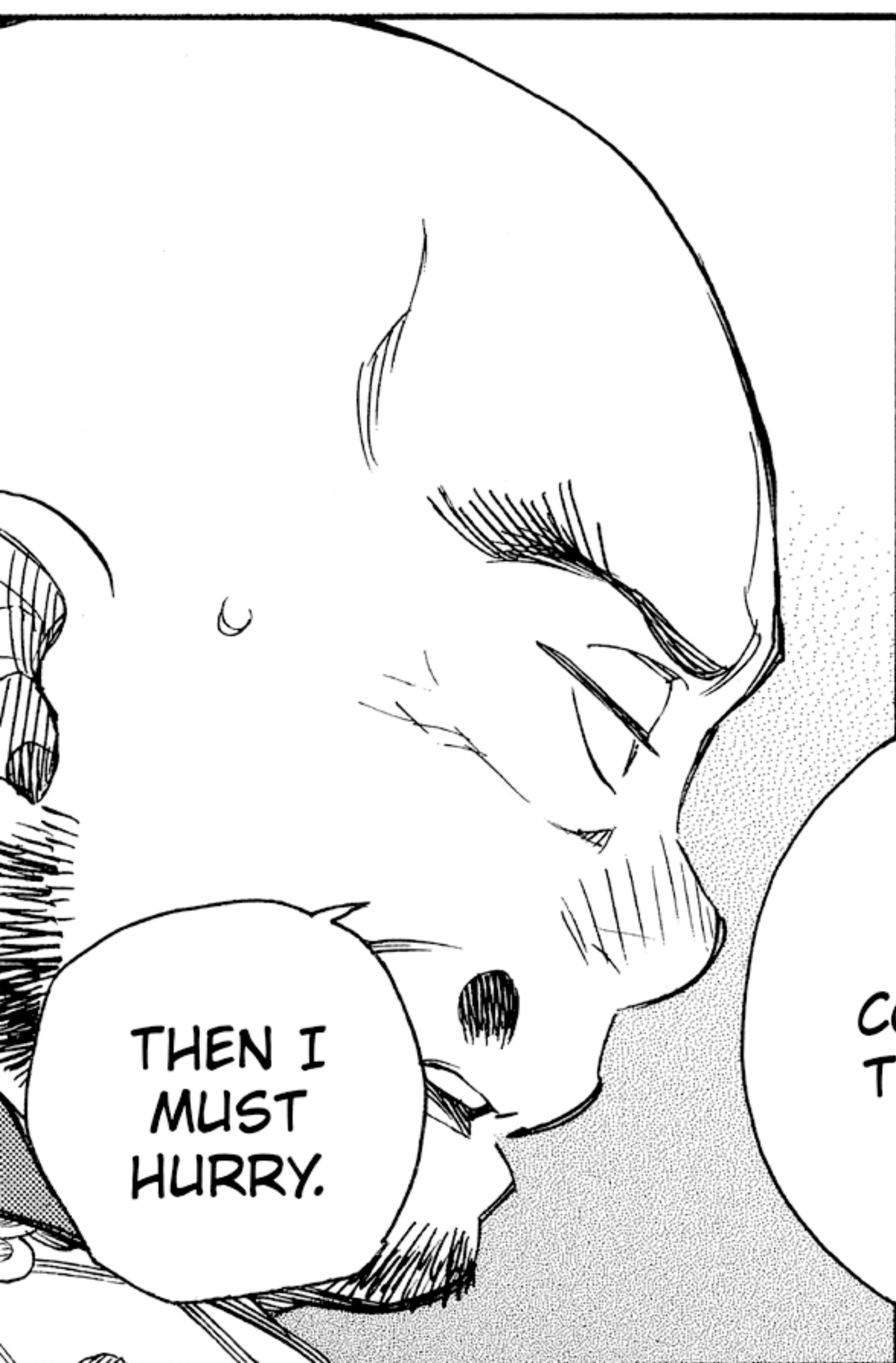
WHAT?!

...KARURA HAD
BONDED CLOSELY
WITH ITS NEW
VESSEL.



BUT ACCORDING TO
THE ACCOUNT THAT
RENZO GAVE TO THE
ORDER'S UPPER
ECHELONS...

...ABOUT
SABUROTA
TODO'S
APPEARANCE IN
AOMORI...



THEN I
MUST
HURRY.

...EXORCISM
COULD DAMAGE
THE DEMON AS
WELL.



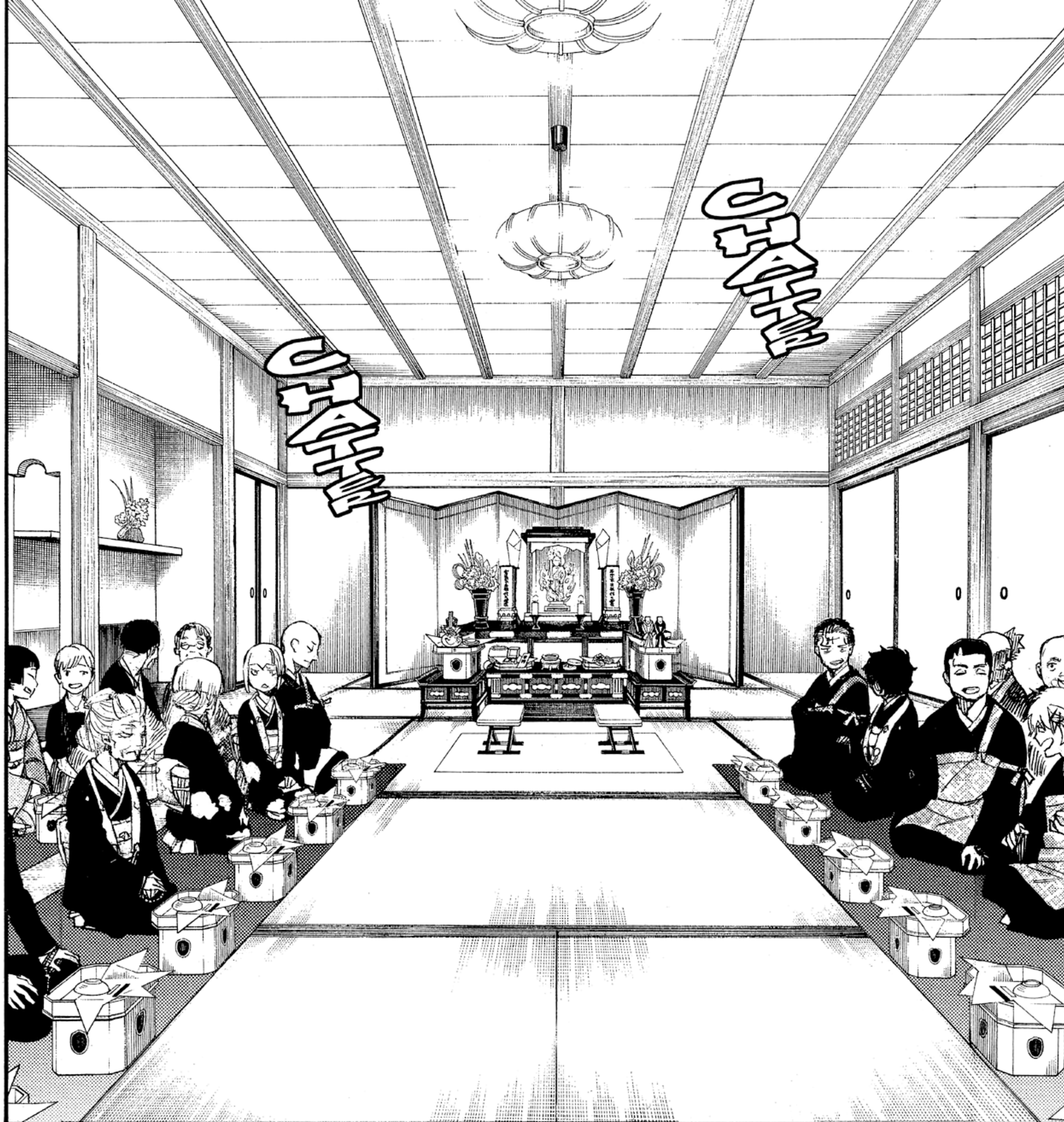
AND WHEN
THAT IS THE
CASE...

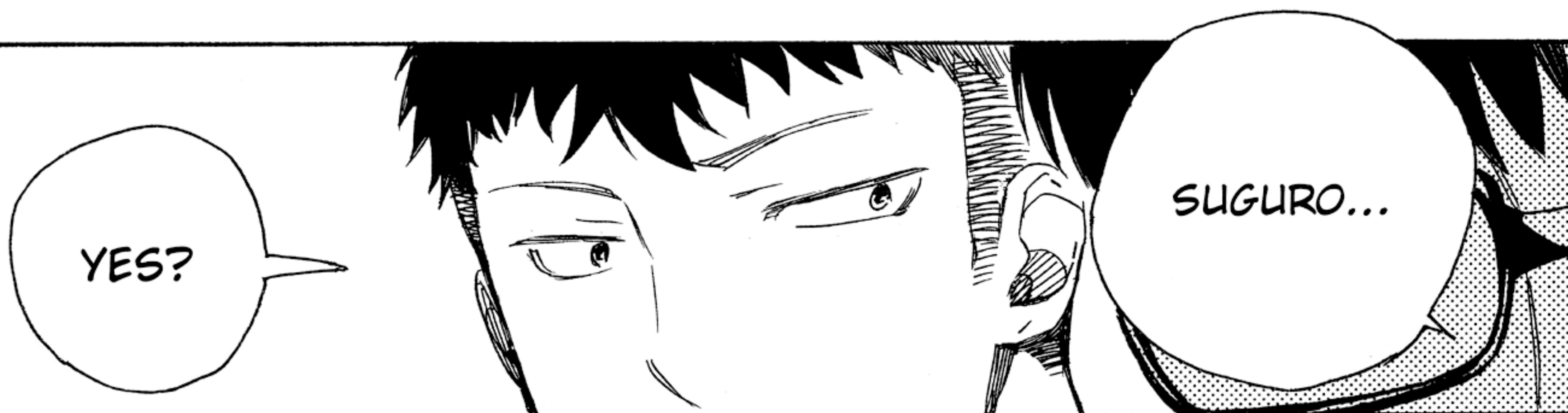


YES.

GOZO, WILL
YOU CONTINUE
INVESTIGATING
AS WELL?

I WILL HASTEN
MY REVIEW OF
ANCIENT
TEXTS.

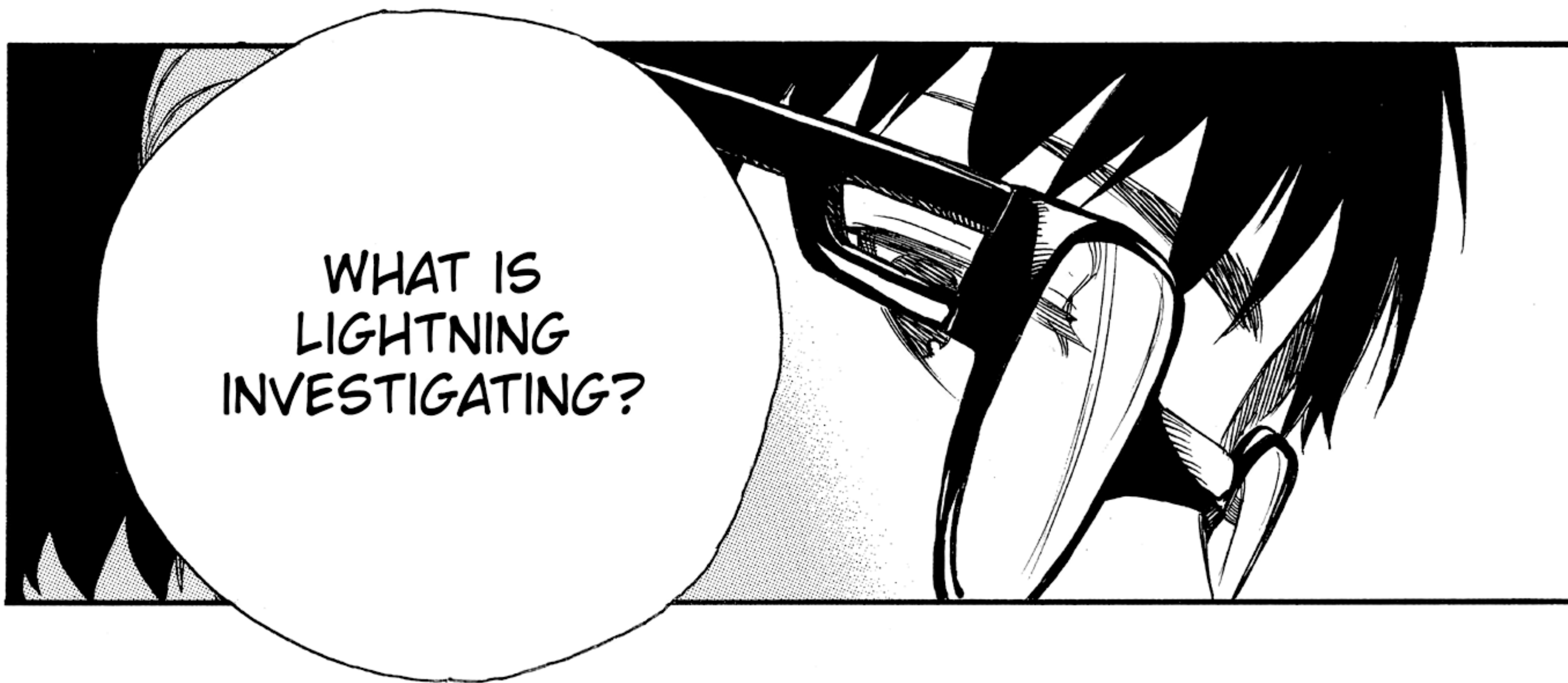






...YOU VISITED
THE MONASTERY
WHERE RIN AND
I GREW UP.

A FEW
WEEKS
AGO...

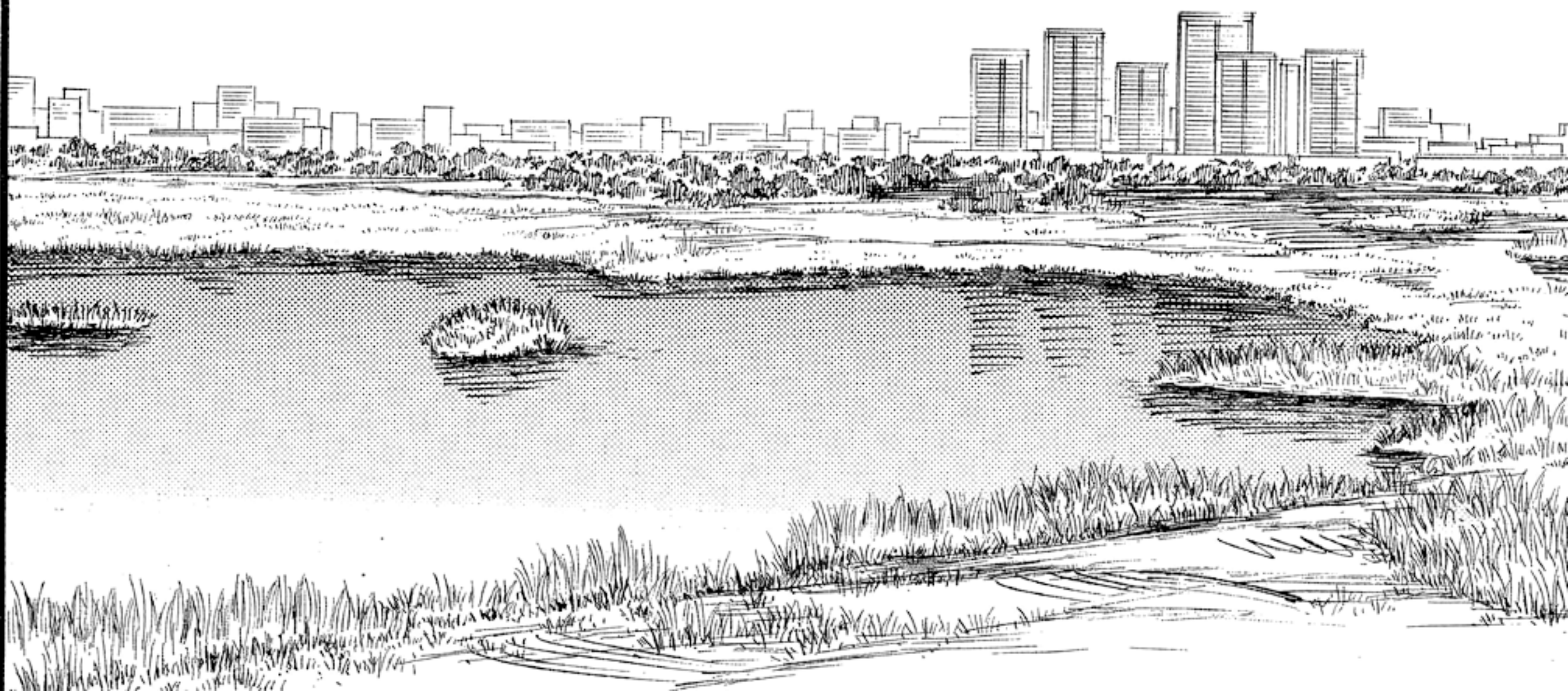


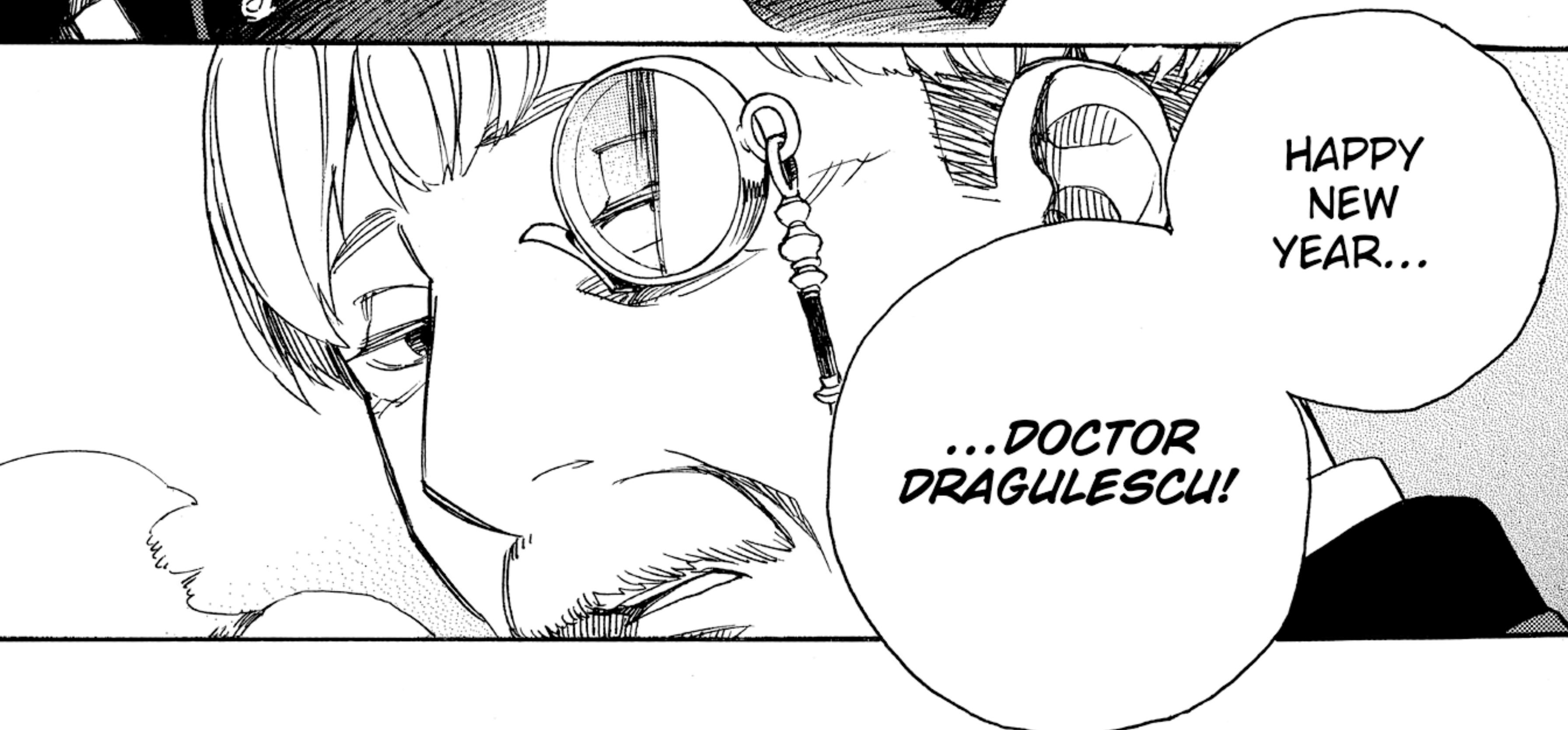
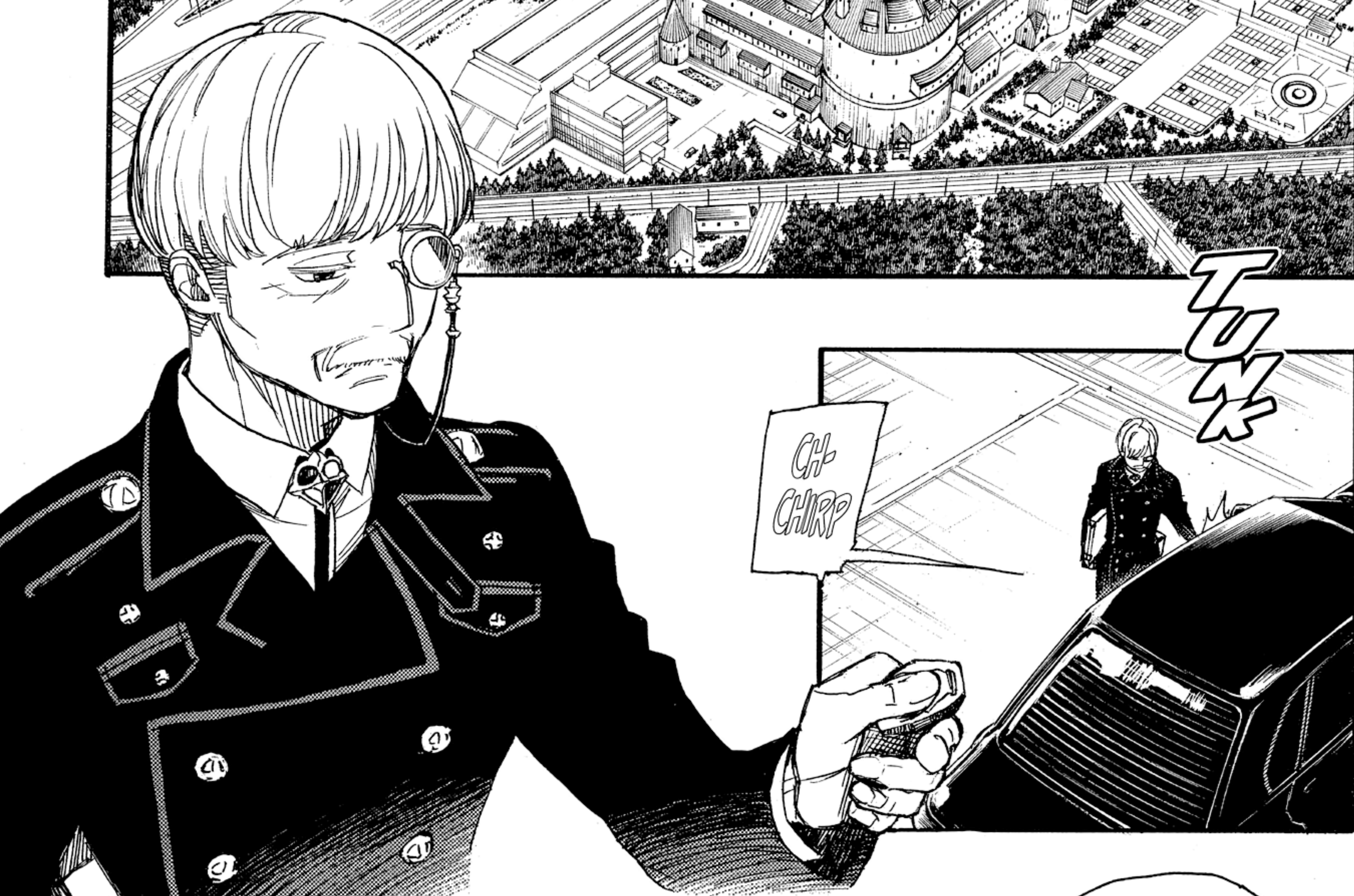
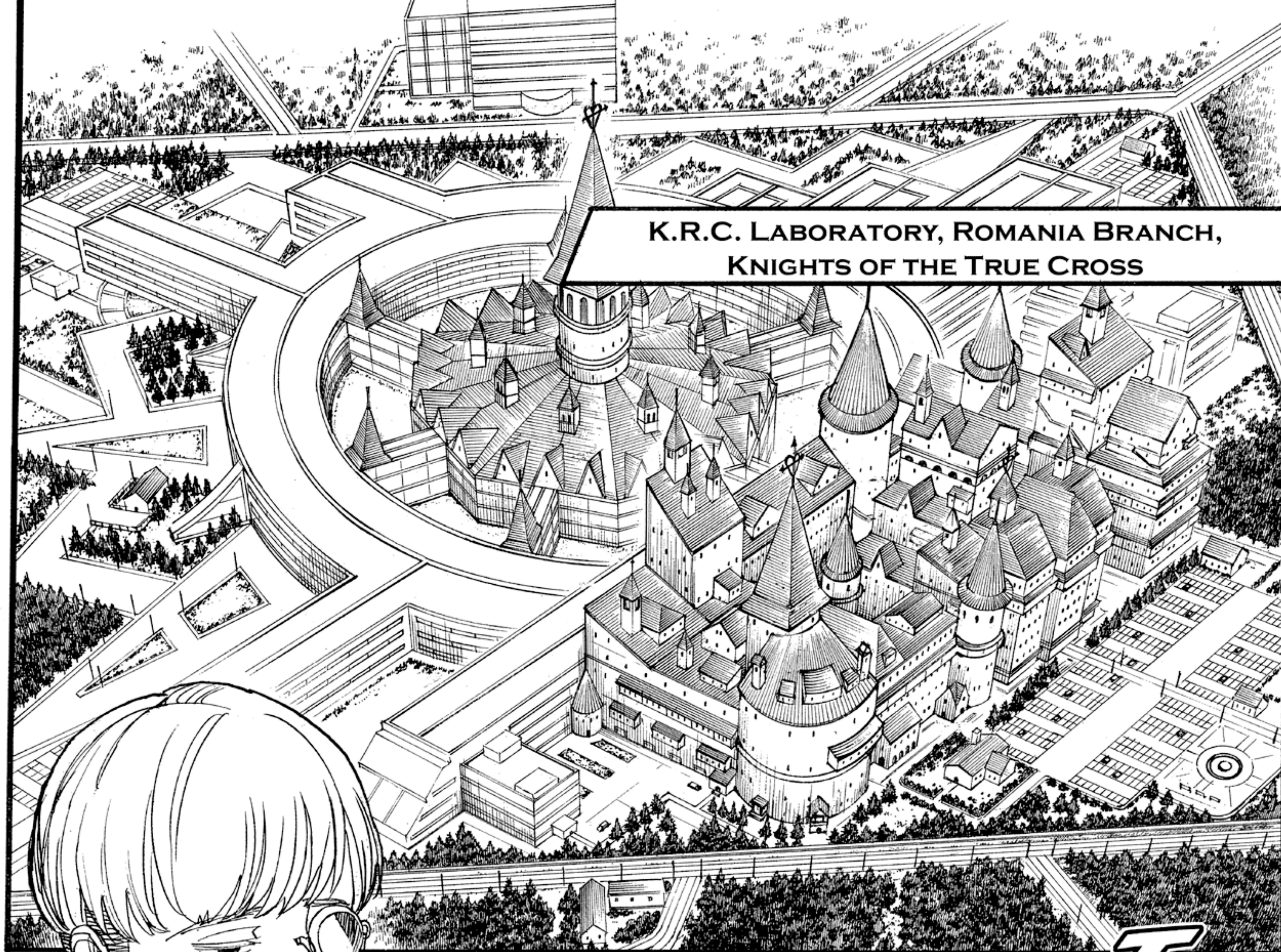
WHAT IS
LIGHTNING
INVESTIGATING?

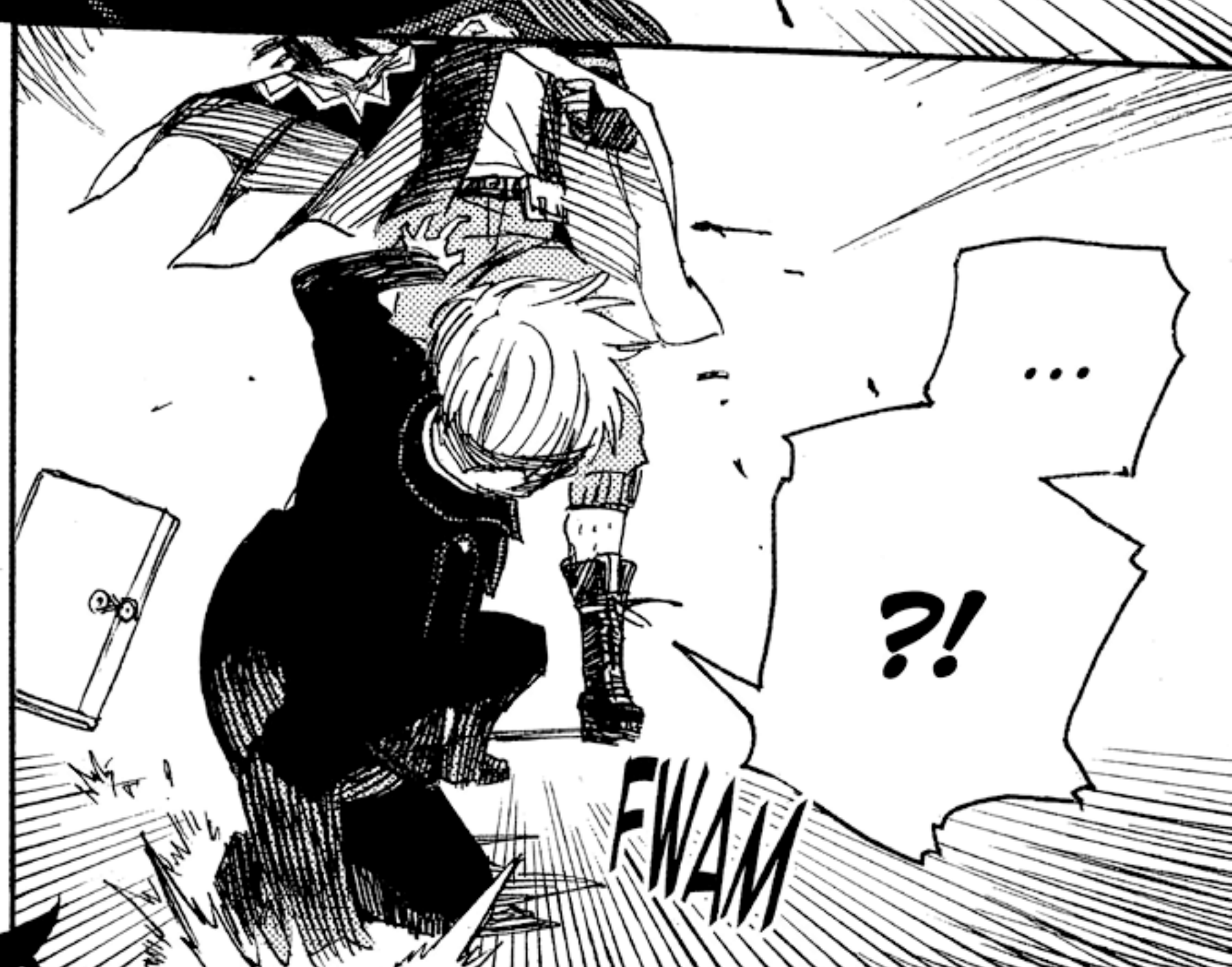


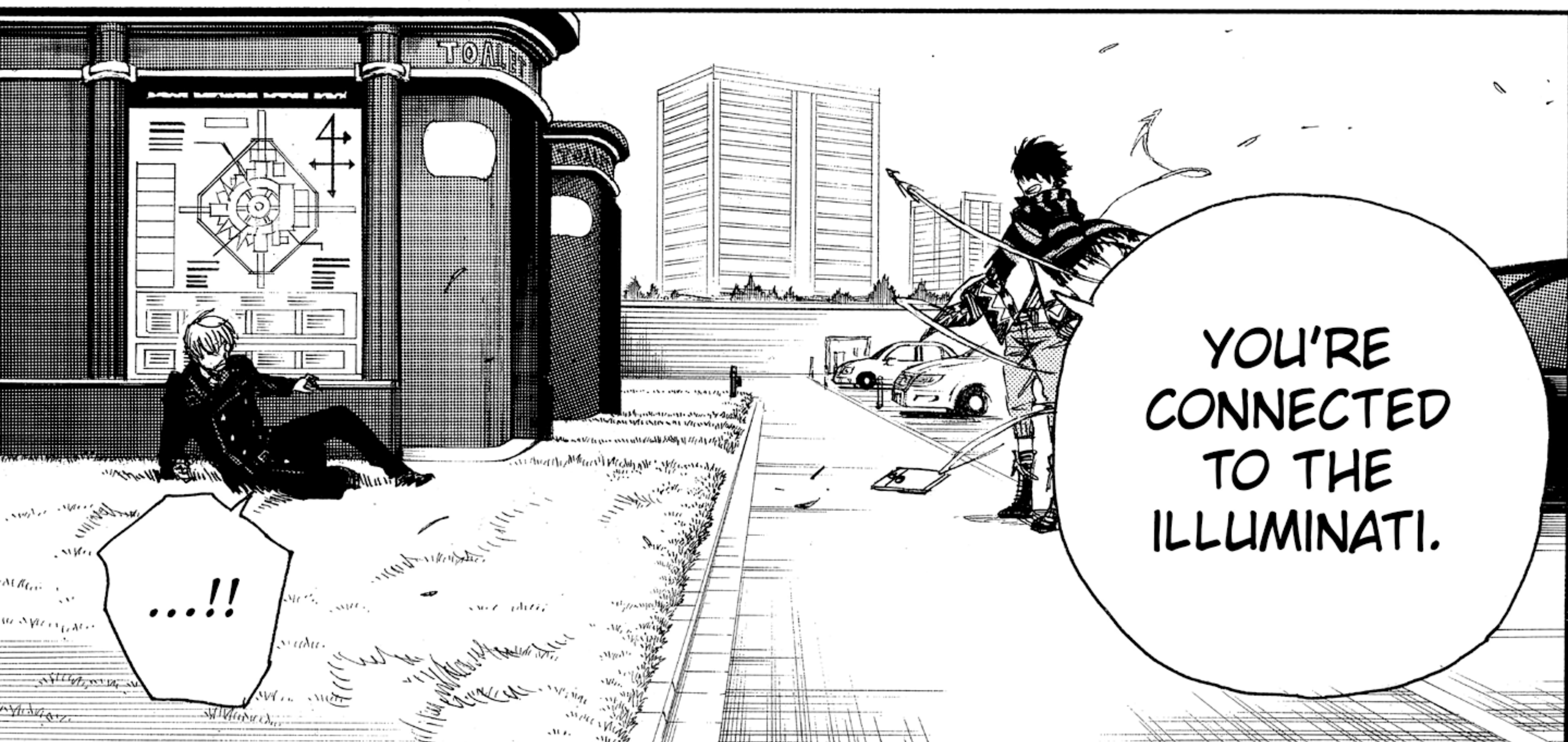
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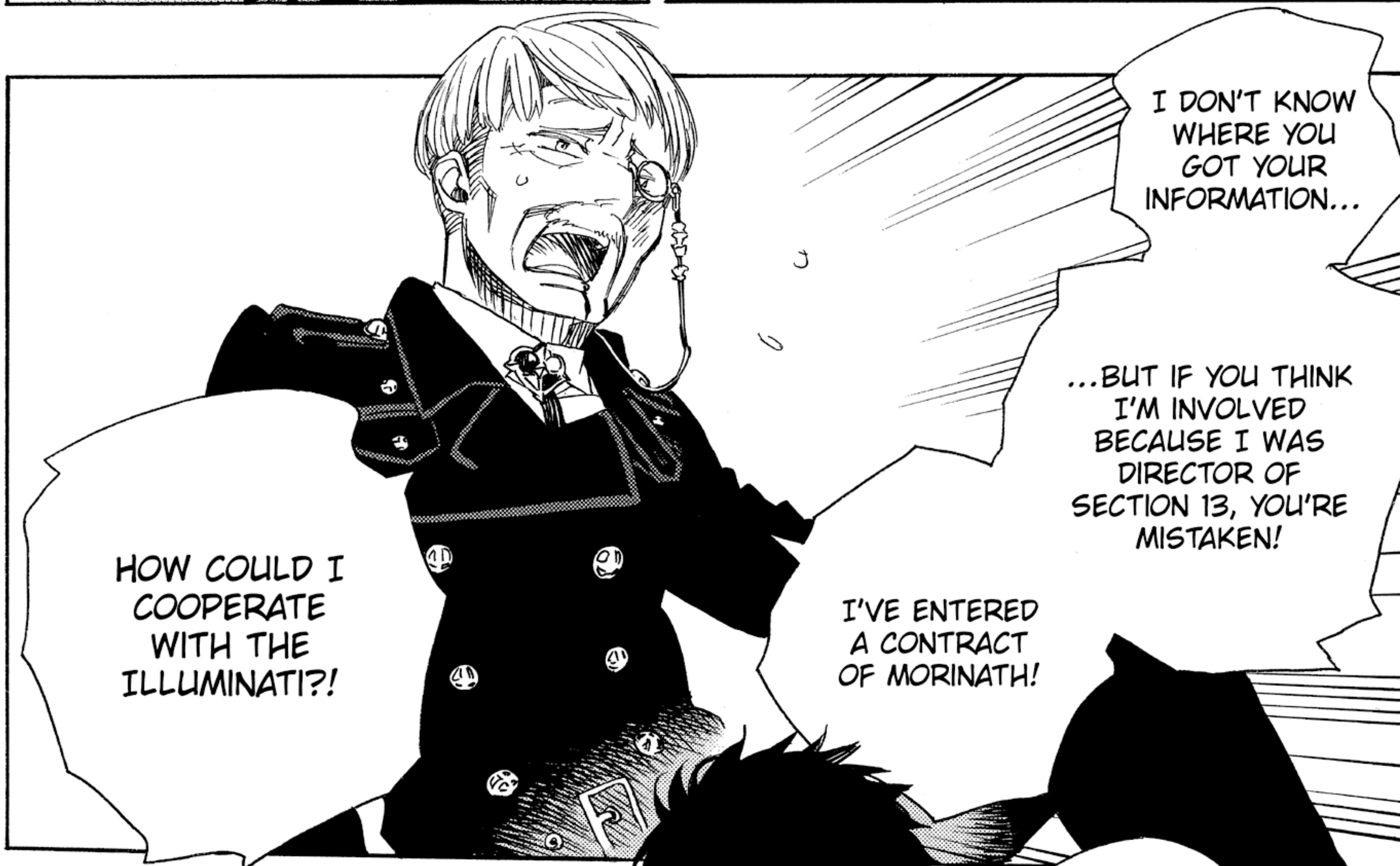
WHOOO













NOT MANY PEOPLE
CAN COMMIT A
MASSACRE AND STAY
IN THE SAME LINE OF
WORK FOR OVER A
DECADE.



AND
YET IT'S
TRUE...

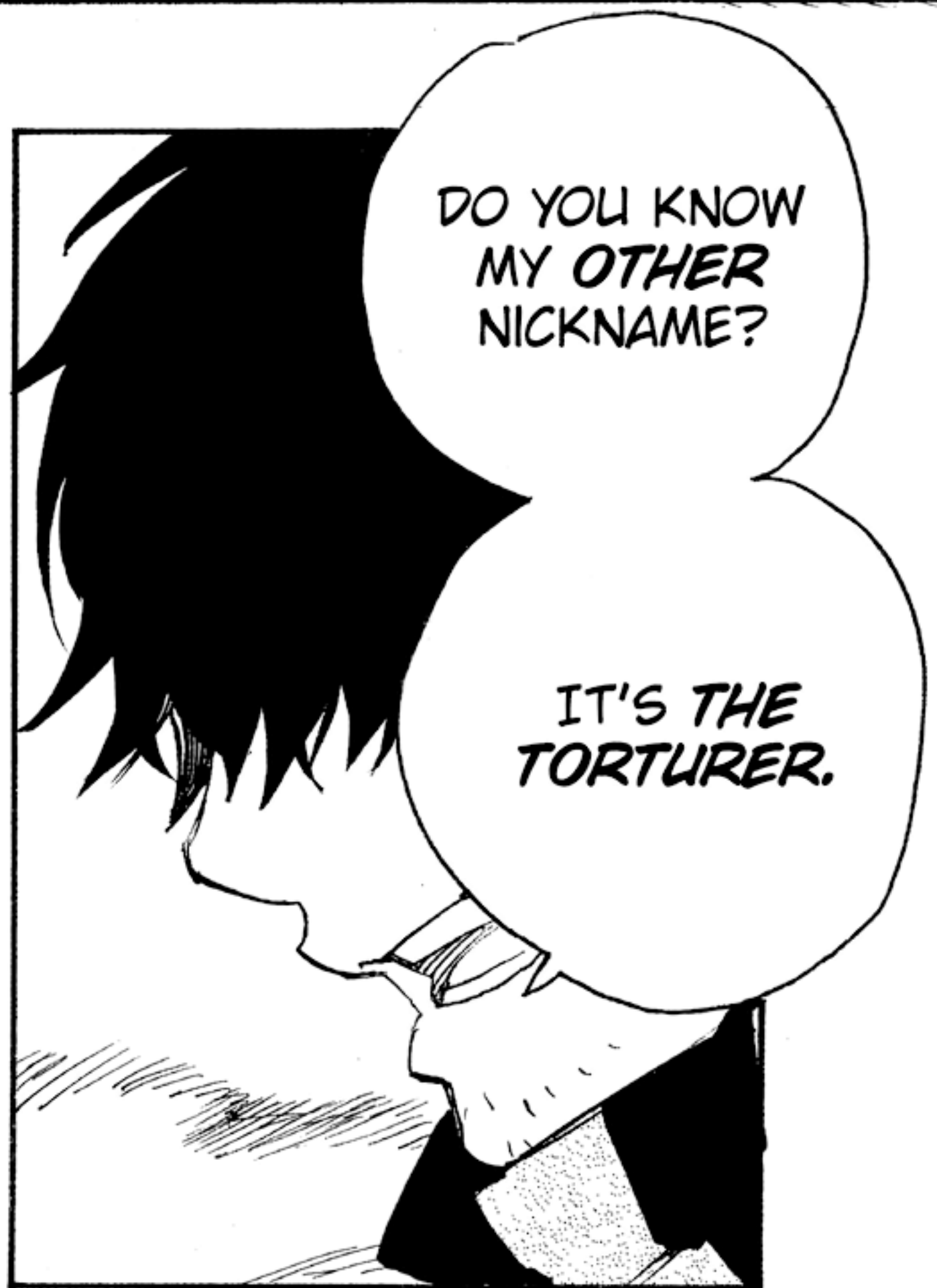
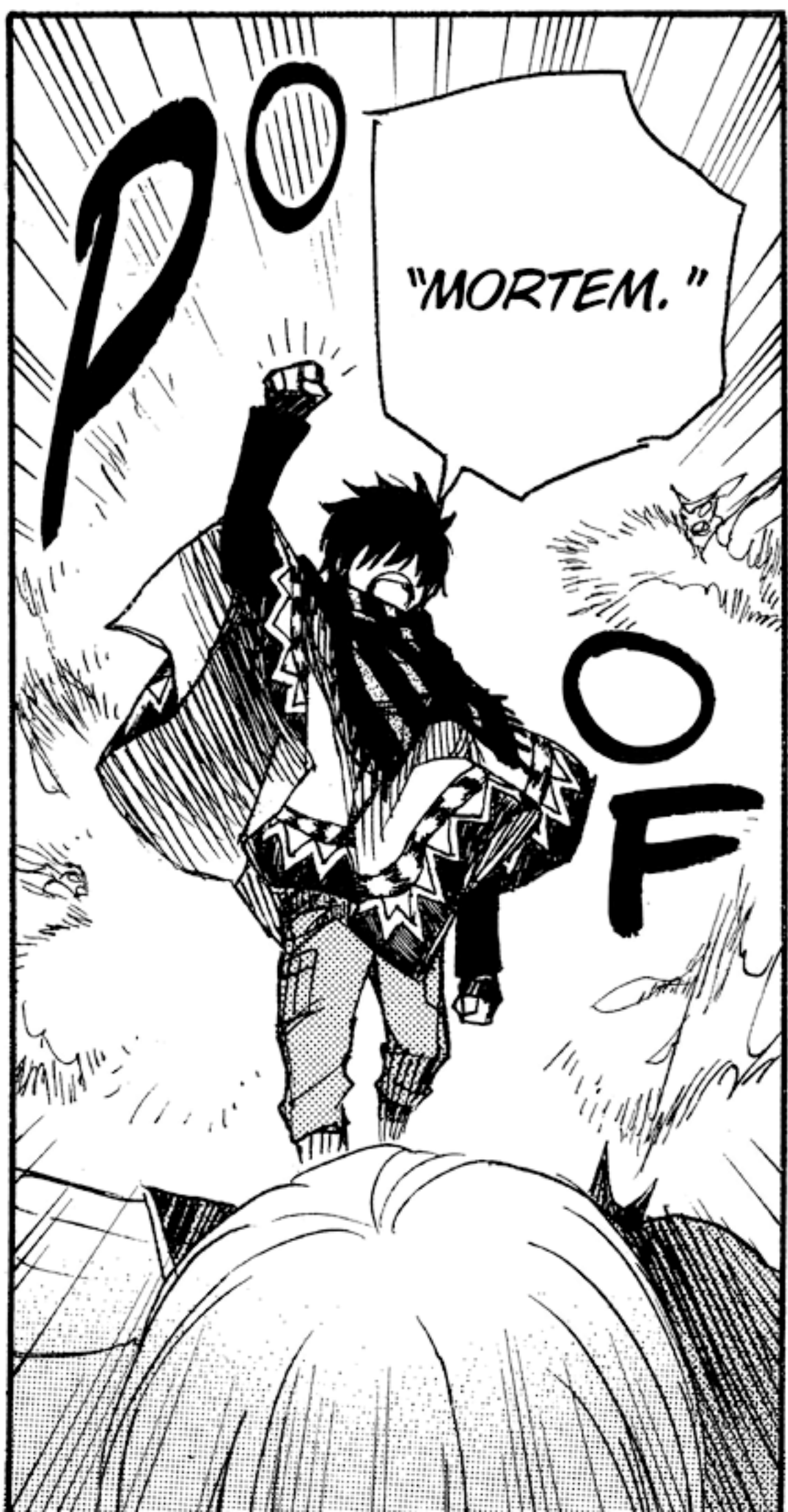
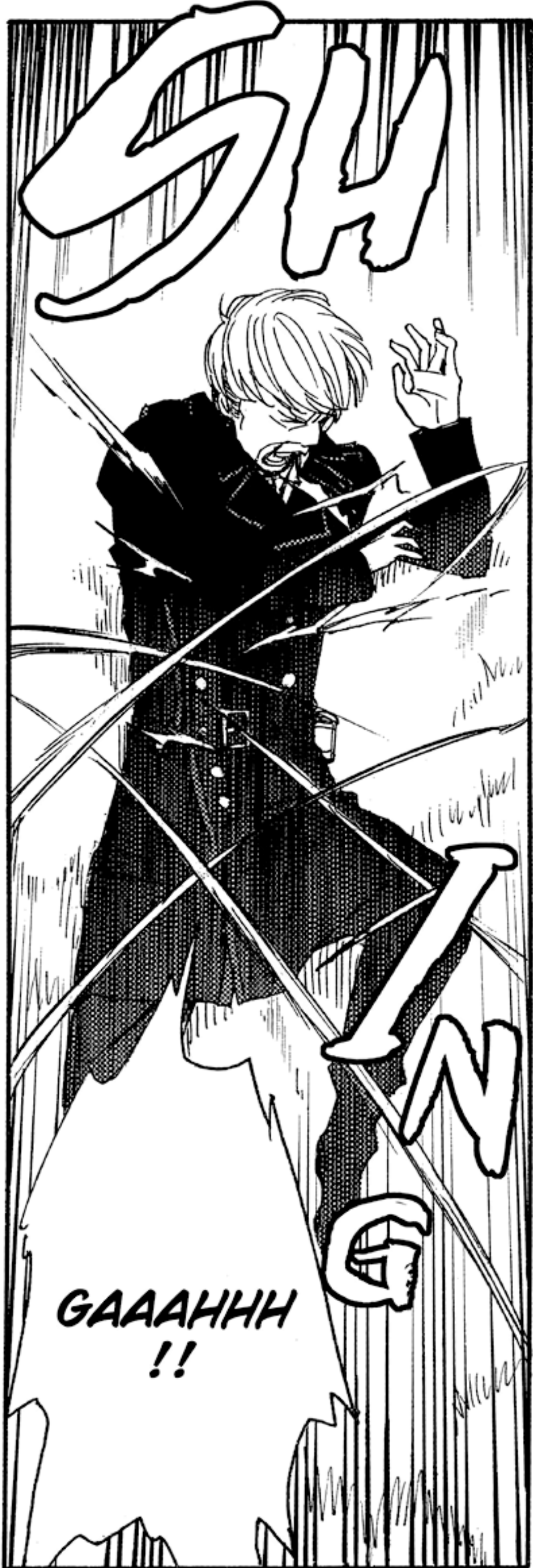
...THAT I'LL
NEED PROOF
TO CONVINCE
PEOPLE.

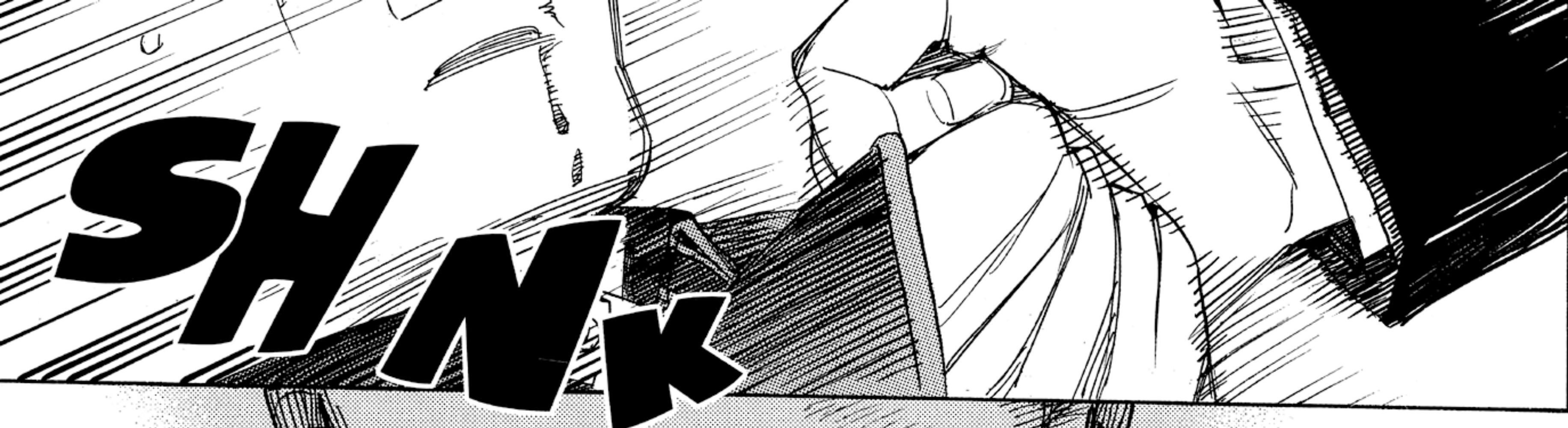
TALK
IS CHEAP,
DOC.

THOSE VAGUE
REASONS ARE
INSUFFICIENT!

DO YOU
THINK IT
DOESN'T
PAIN ME?!

W-WHAT
ARE YOU...





AHH...



...SO
THAT'S IT,
HUH?



Y-YOU
WON'T GET
AWAY WITH
THIS!

...SO I'M
LEAVING.

I'VE GOT
WHAT I
CAME
FOR...



I'M
GOING
TO
REPORT
YOU!



...CUZ I
PLAN TO
PROSECUTE
YOU.

THEN YOU
BETTER
HURRY...



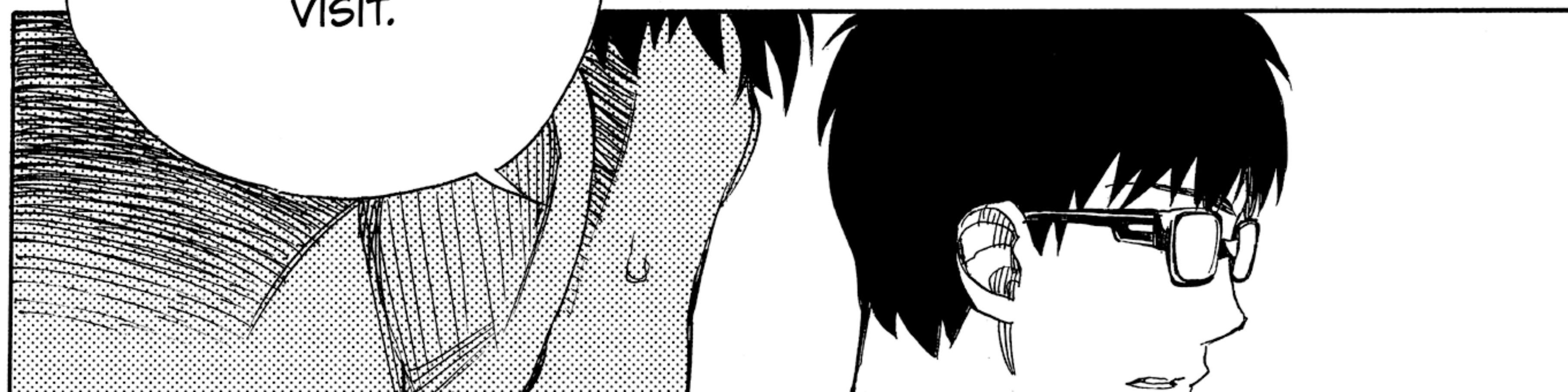
THEY'LL
LOCK YOU
UP,
LIGHTNING!!

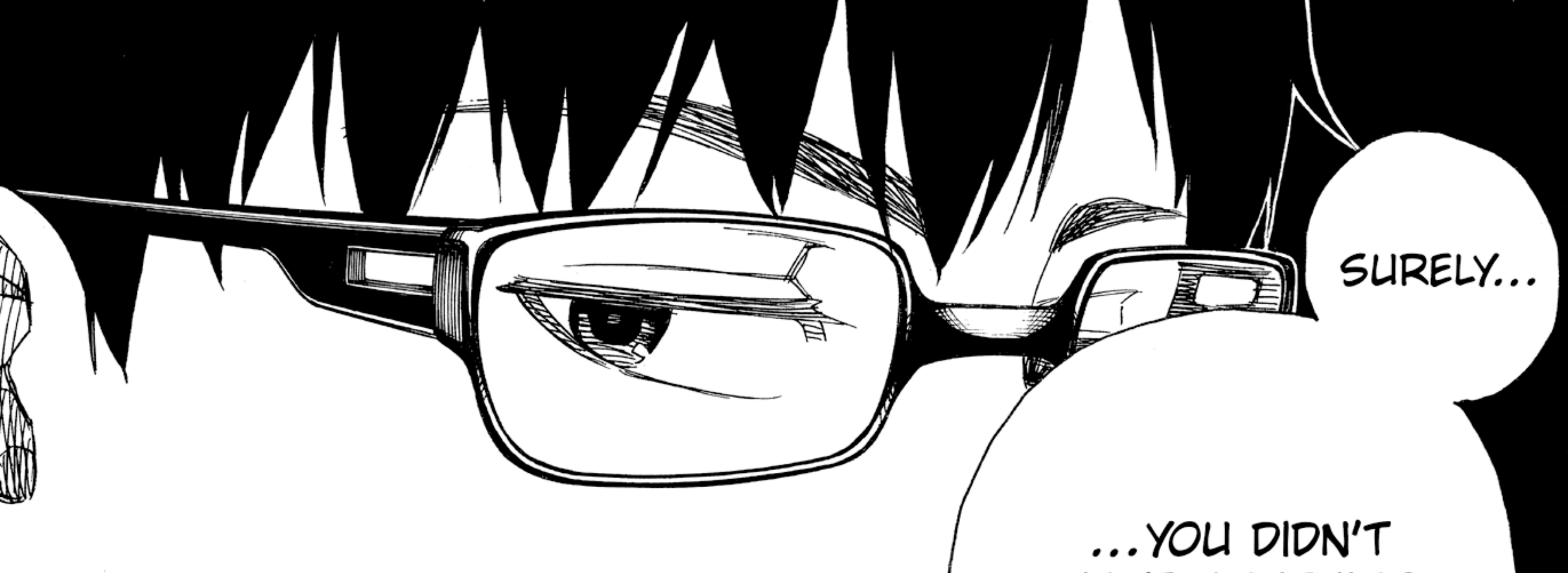
YOU'RE
DANGEROUS
!!!



AN OLD MONK
NAMED MISLIMI
DIED...

...SOON AFTER
LIGHTNING'S
VISIT.

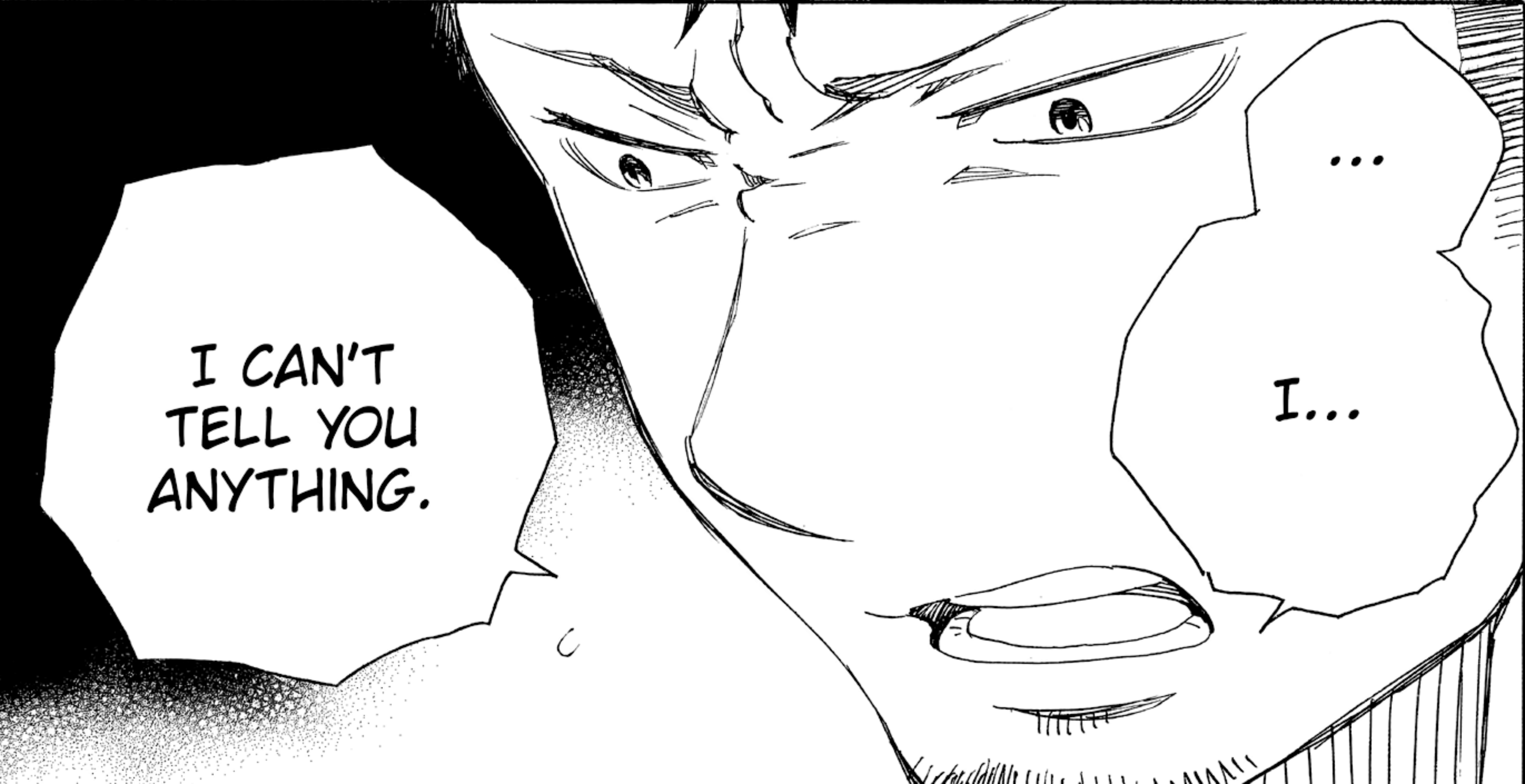




SURELY...

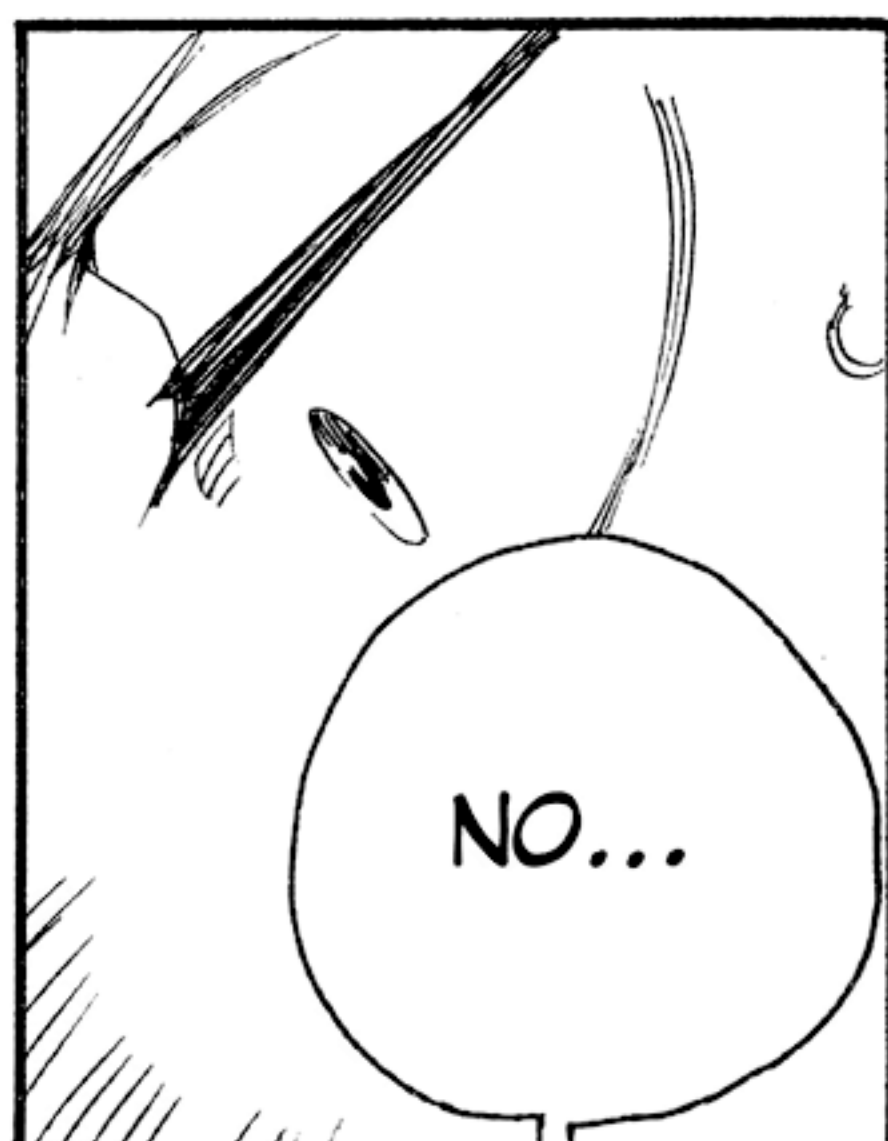


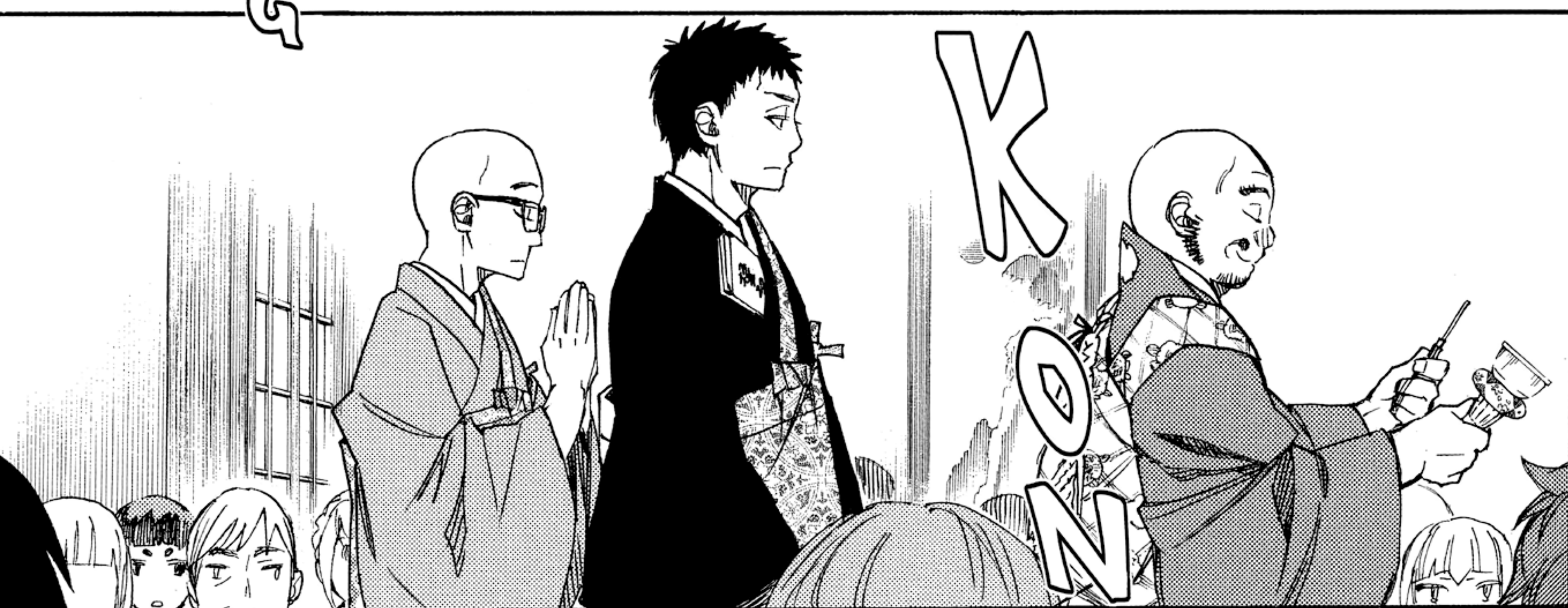
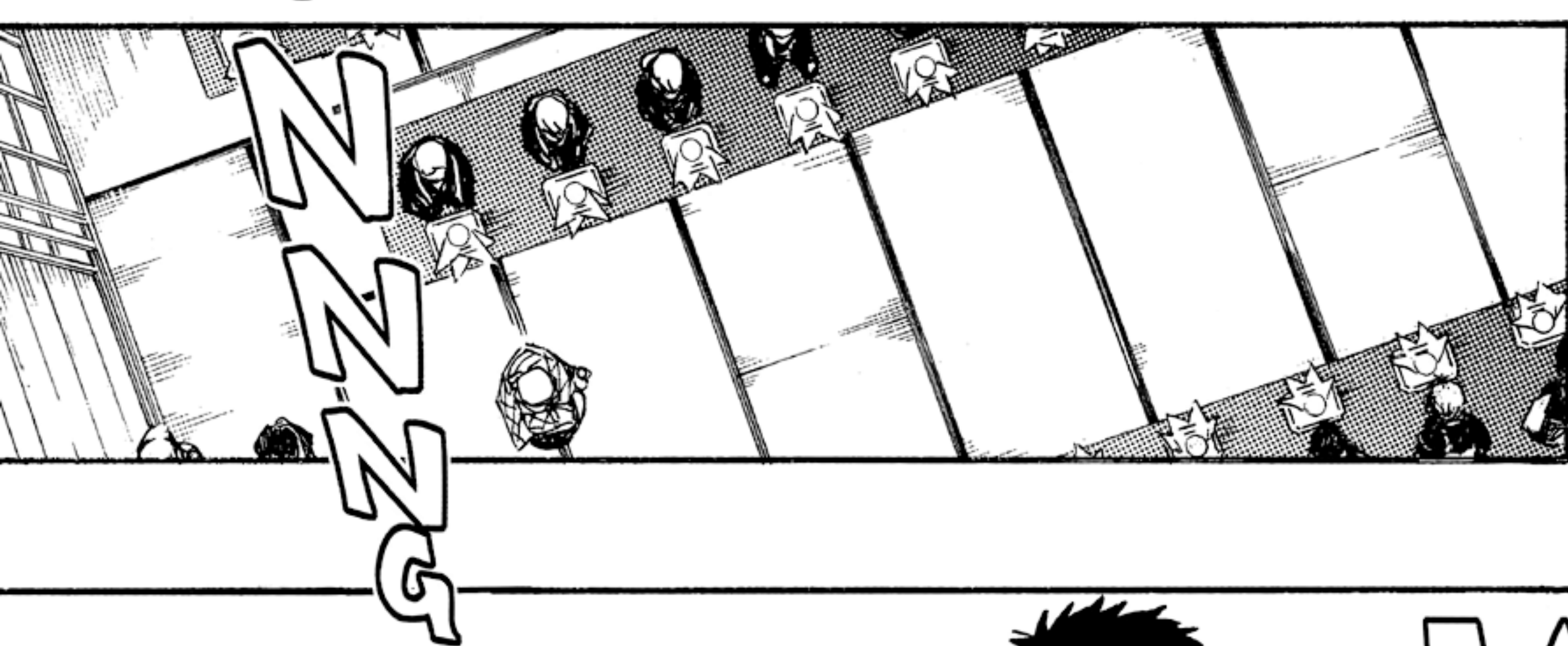
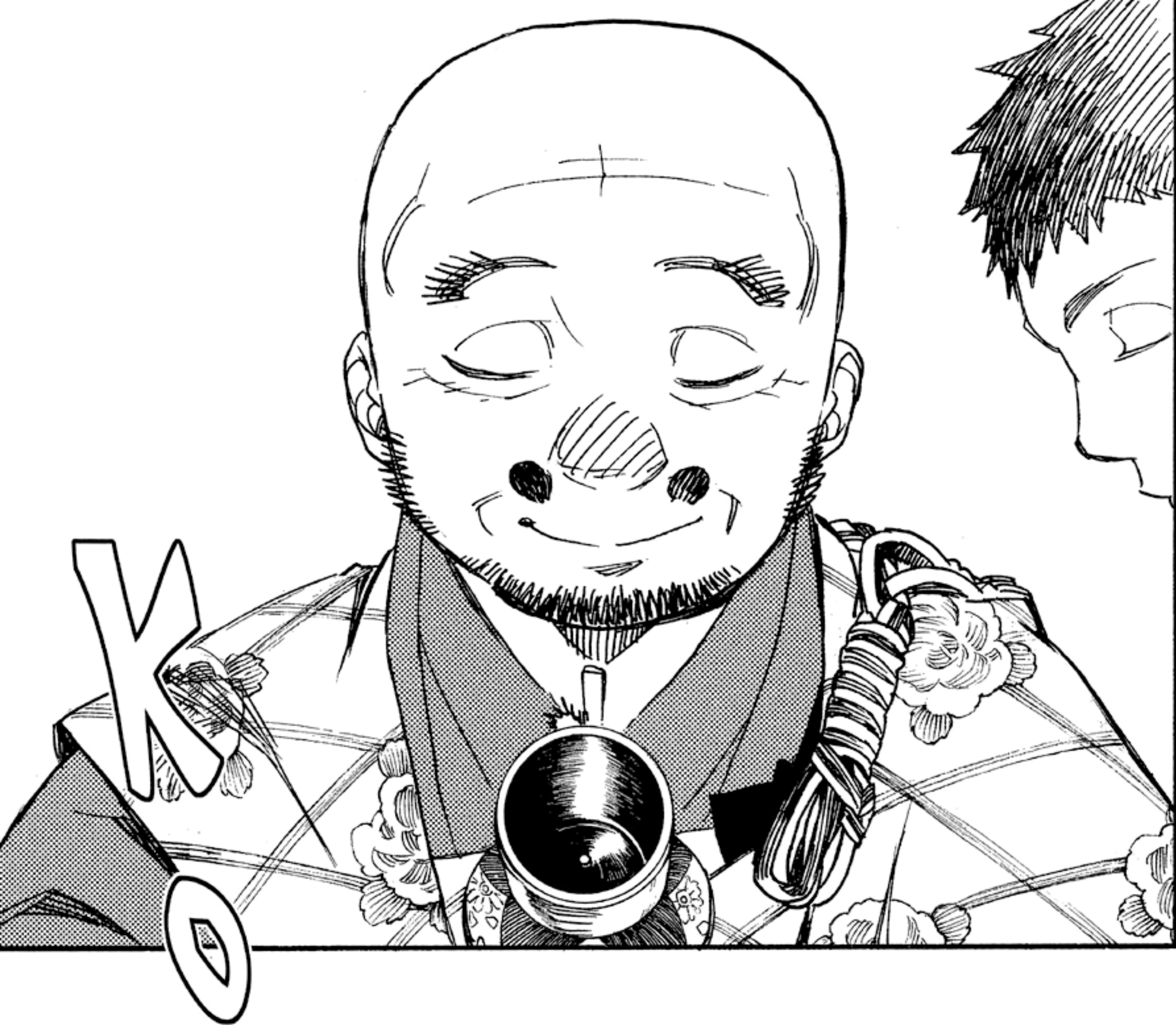
...YOU DIDN'T
HAVE ANYTHING
TO DO WITH
THAT?



I CAN'T
TELL YOU
ANYTHING.

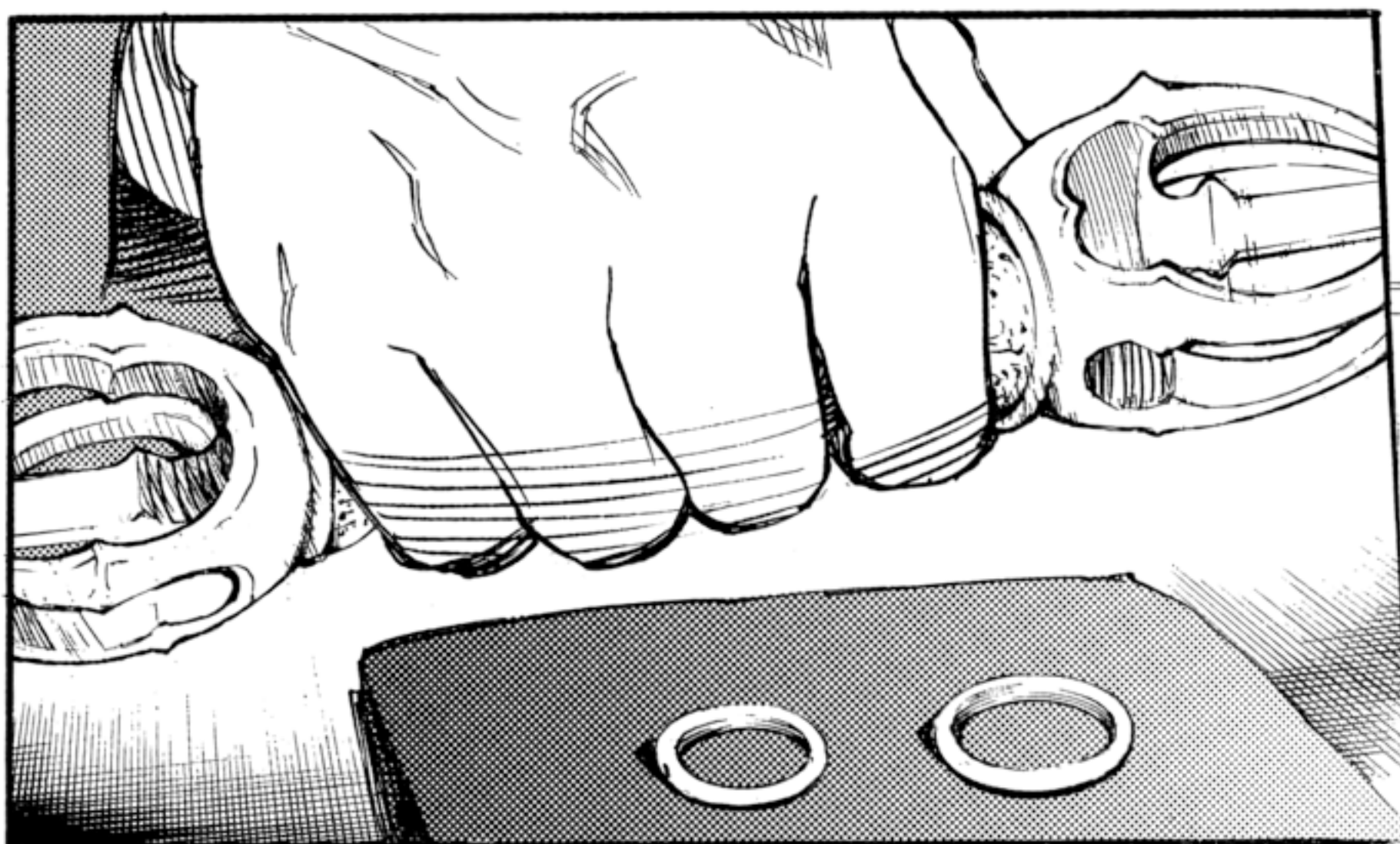
I...

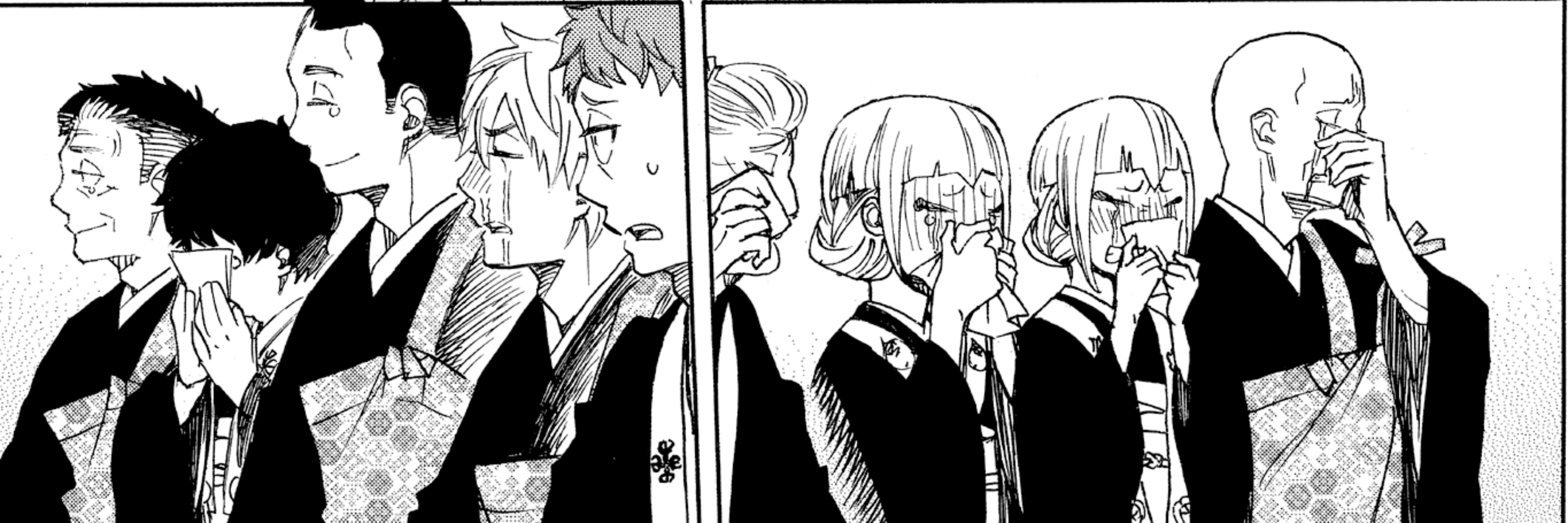
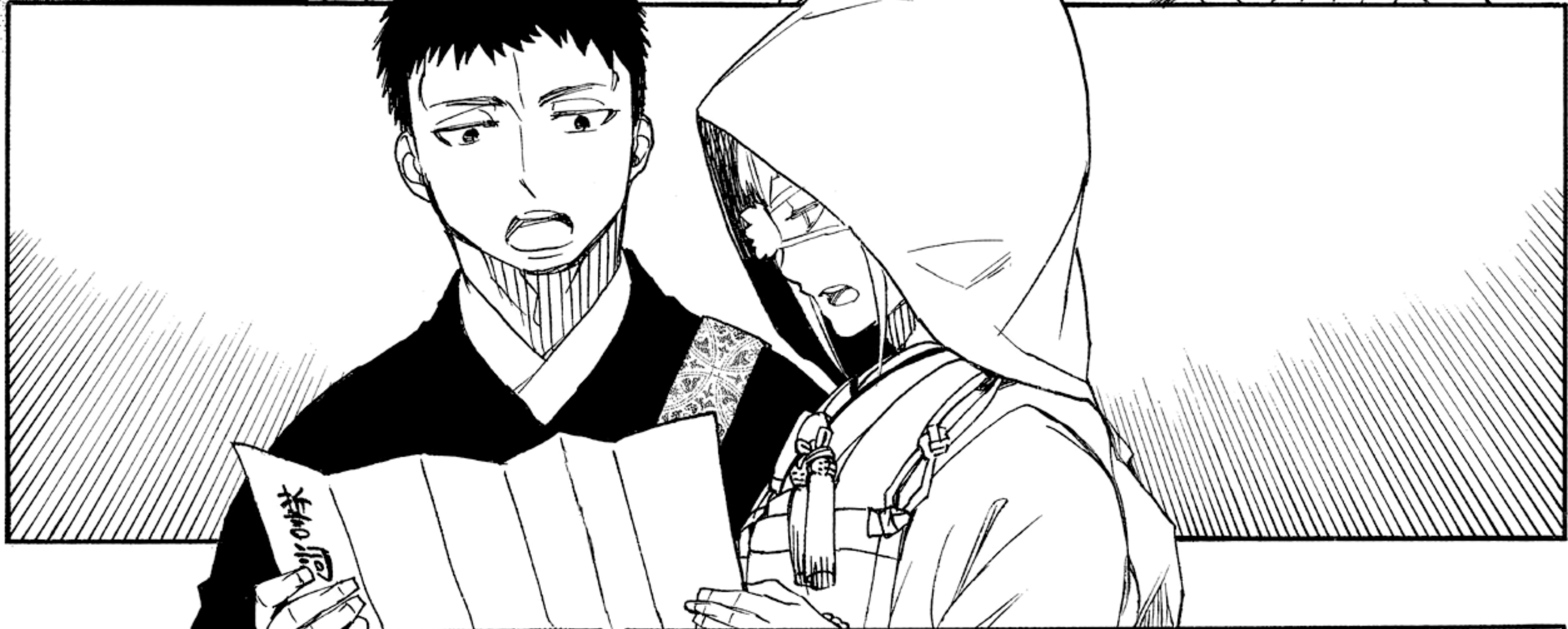
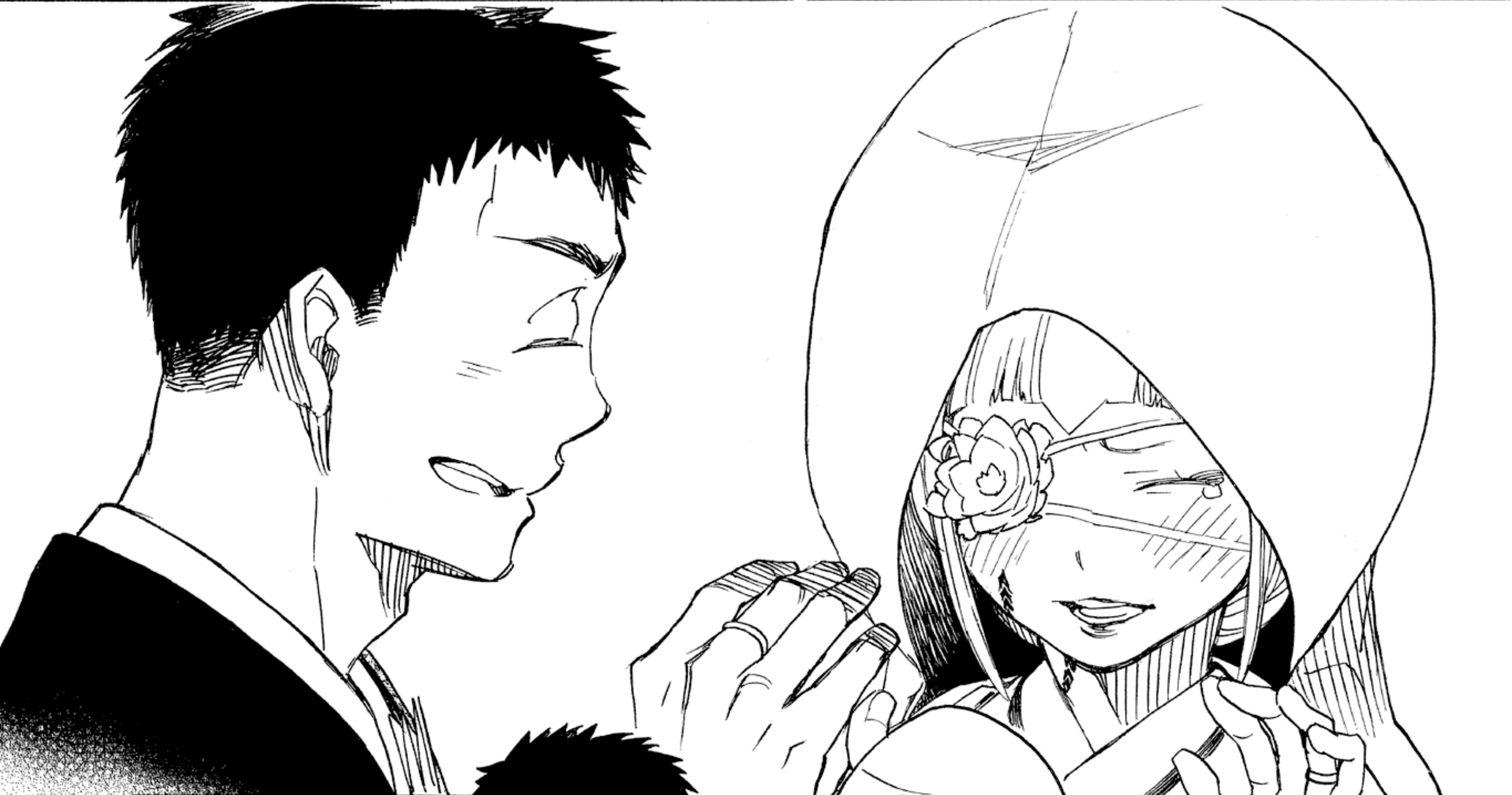
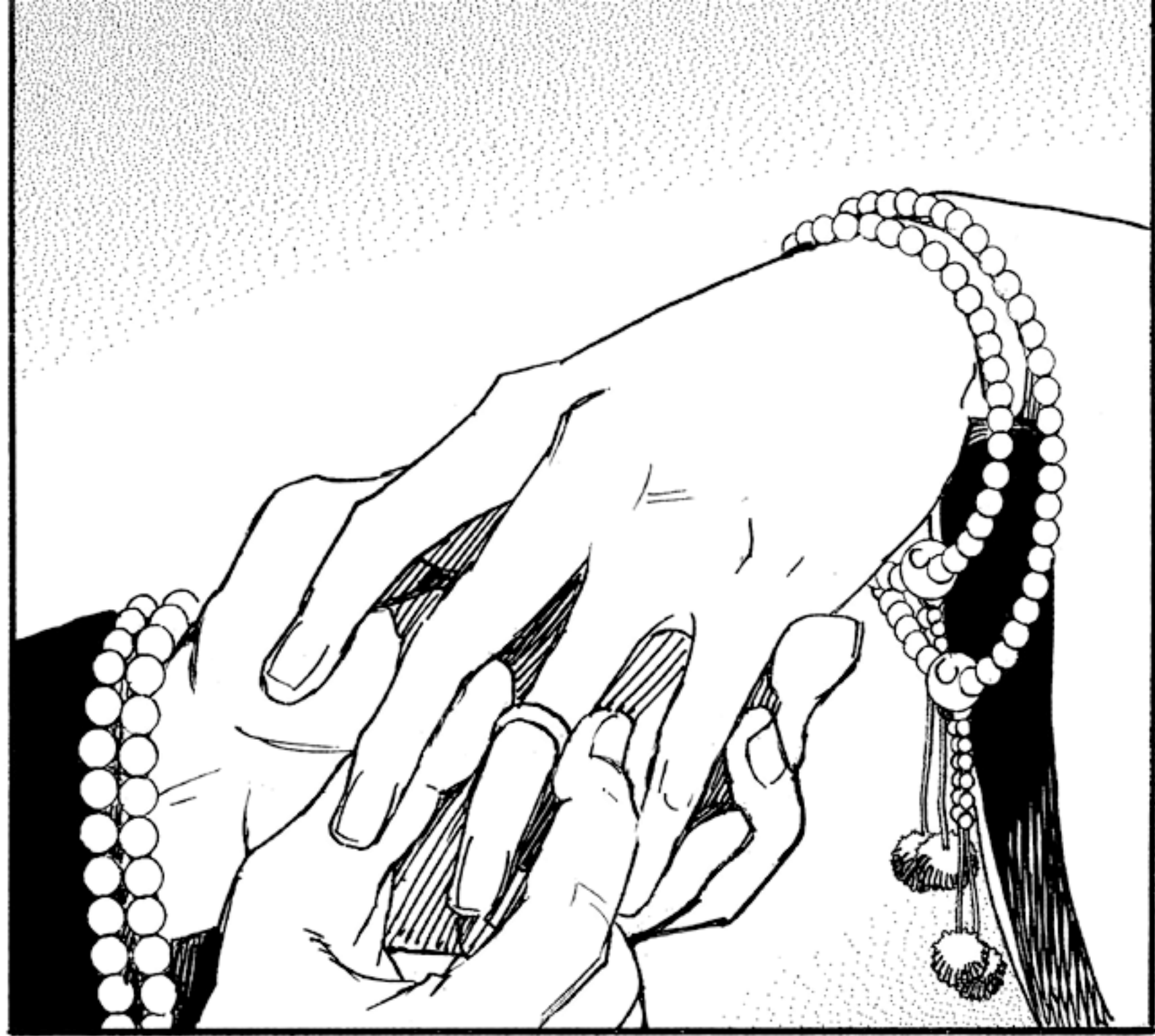
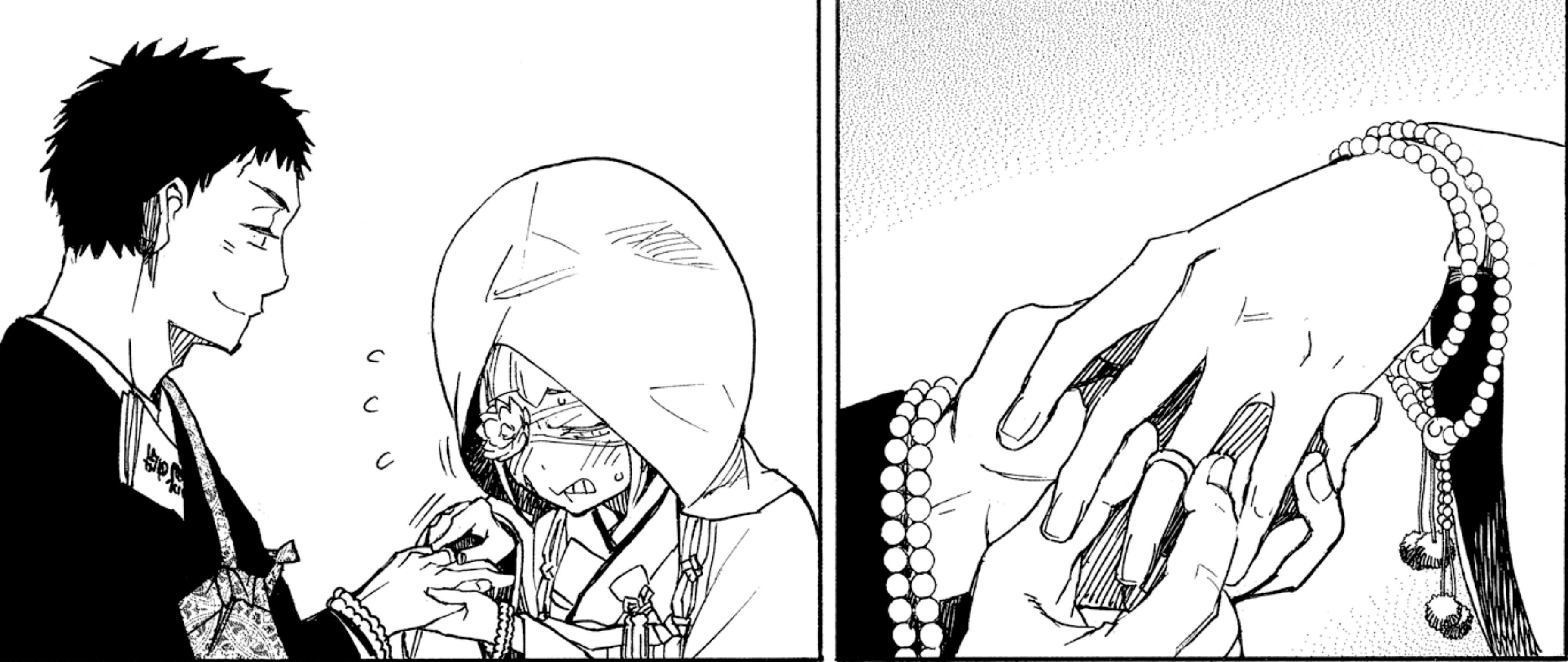


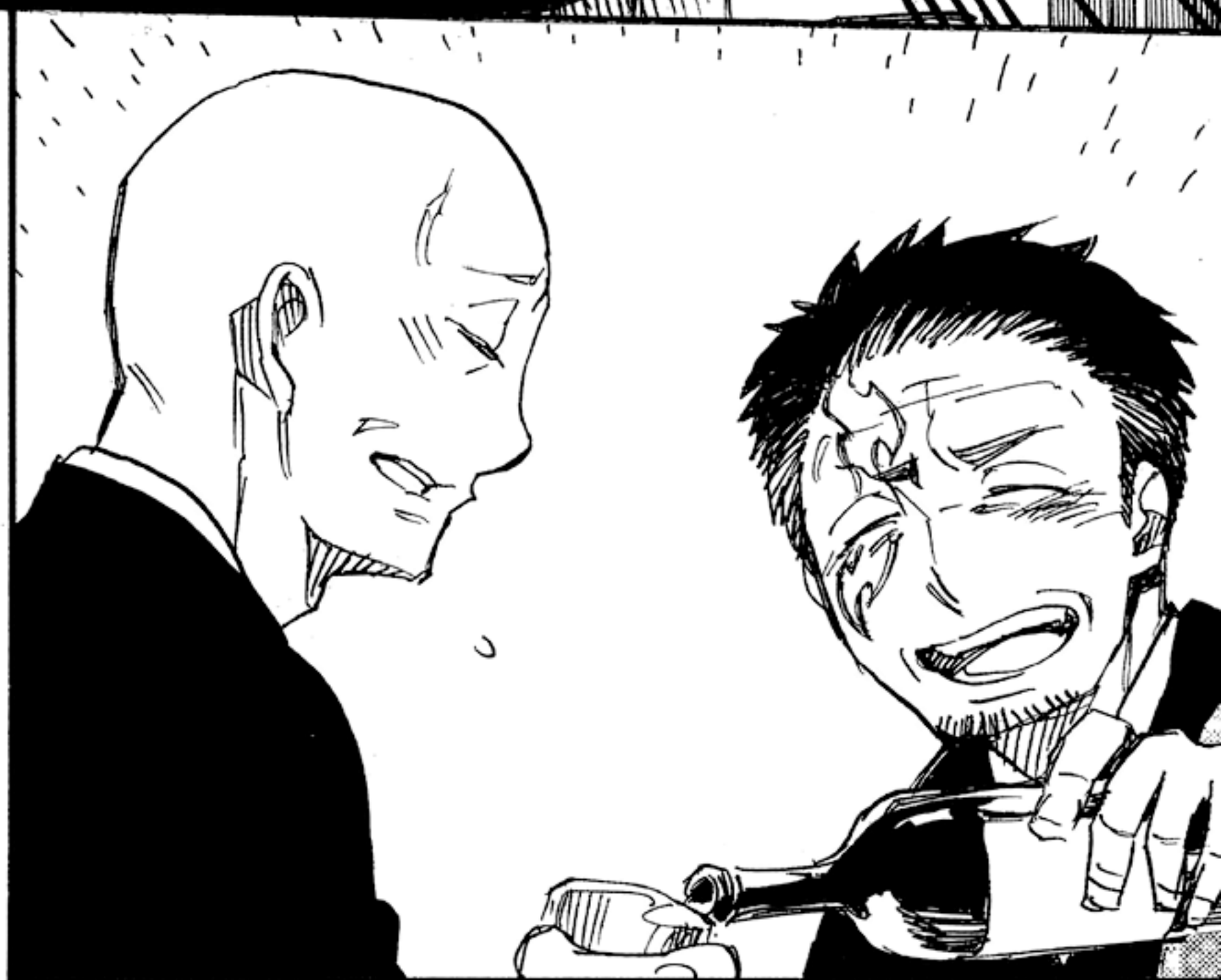
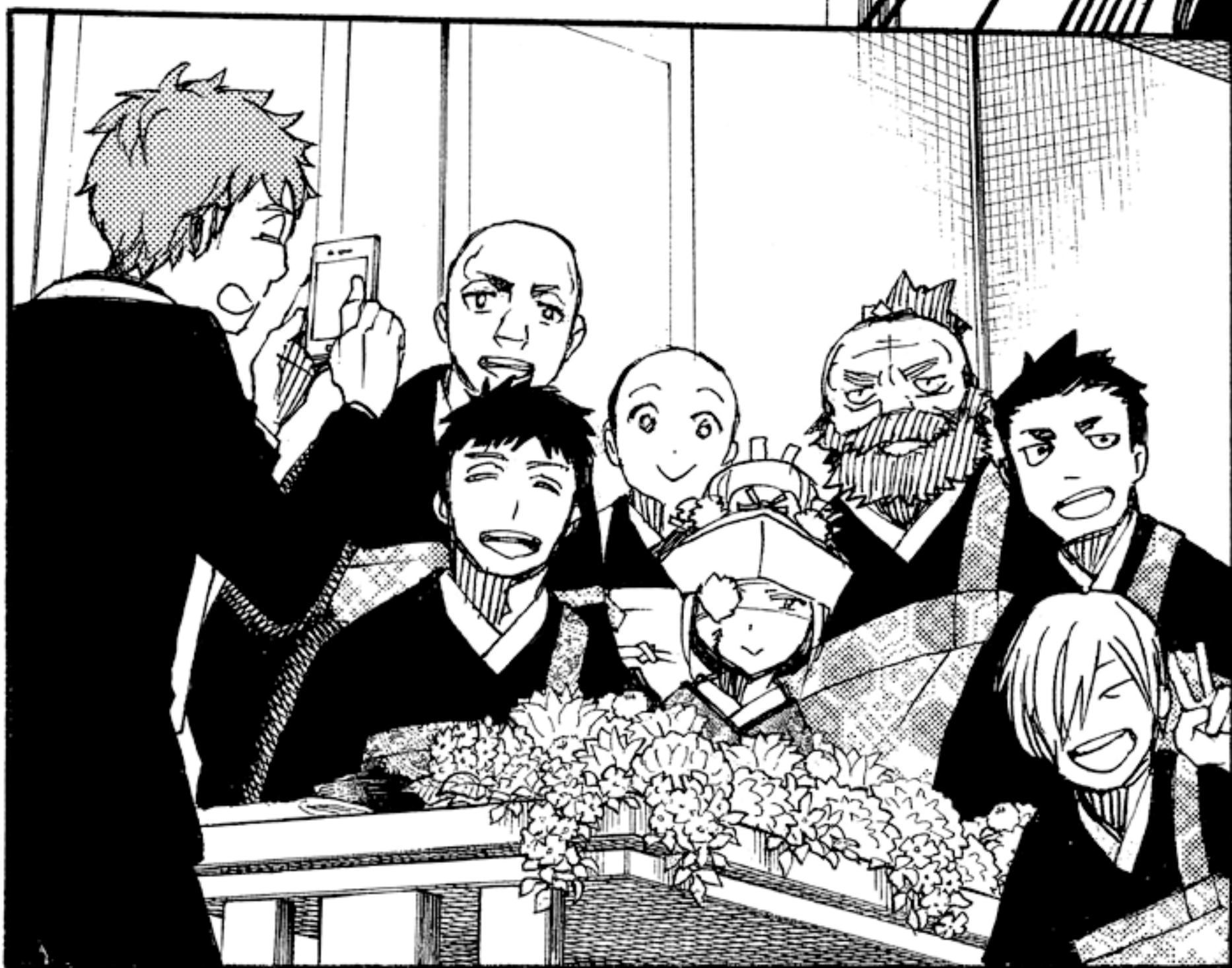




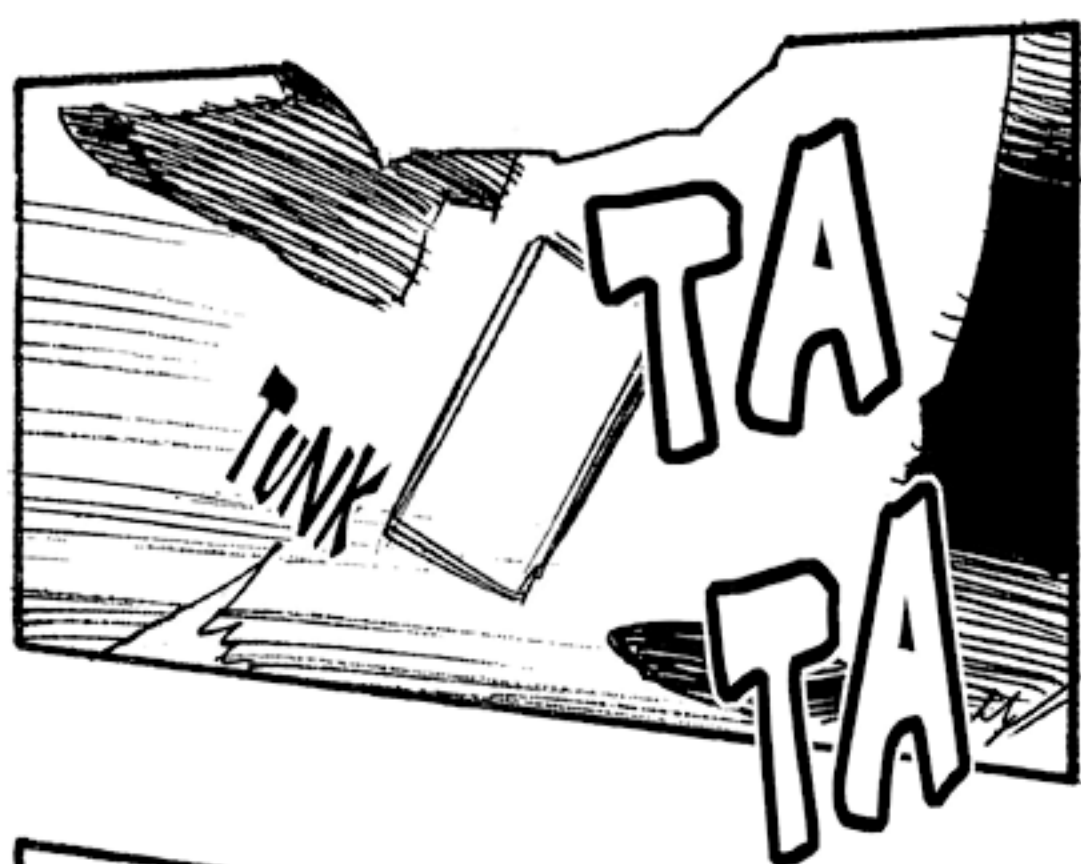
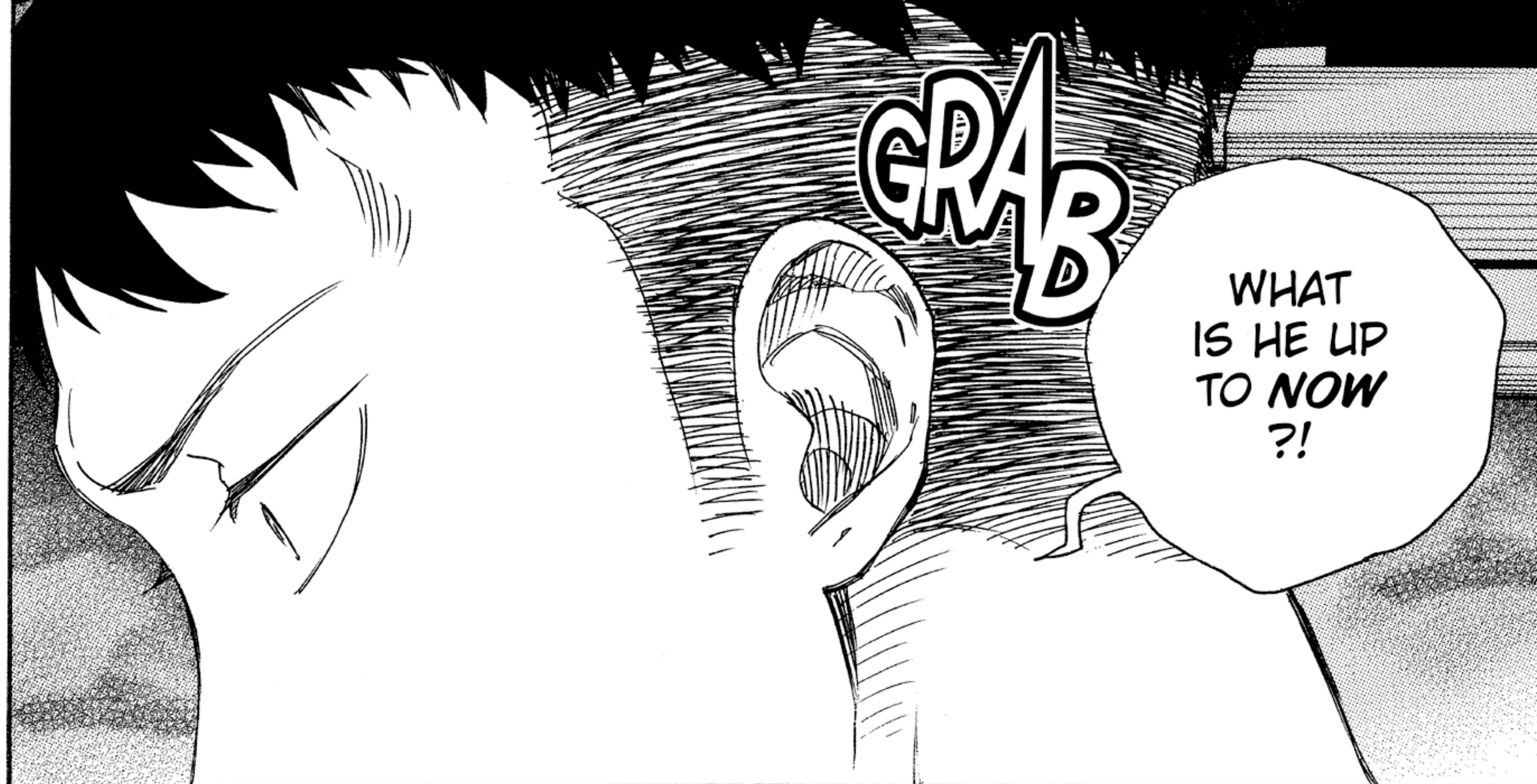
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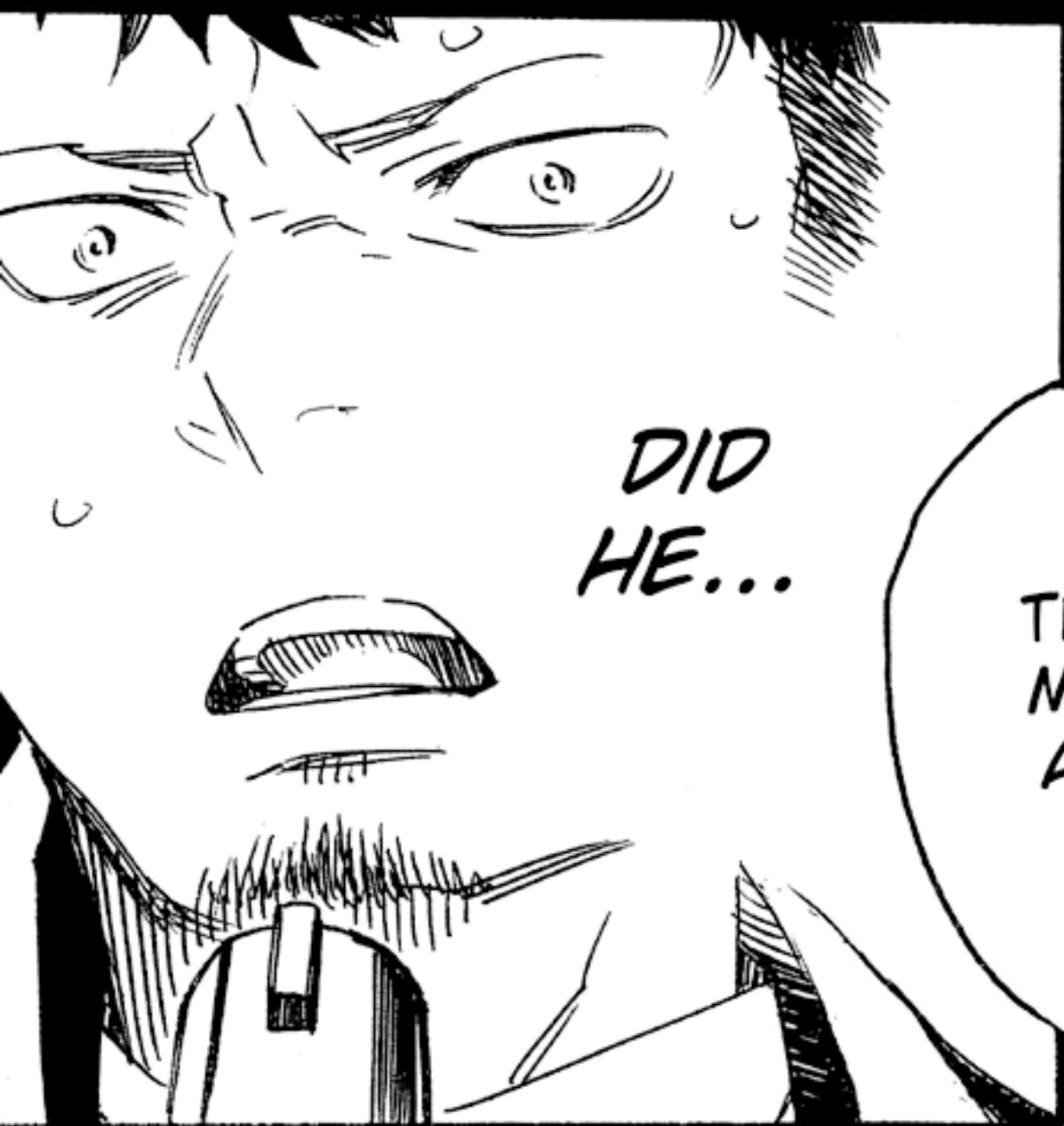








SORRY.
BUT START
TALKING.



DID
HE...



TELL ME HOW
MY BROTHER
AND I WERE
BORN.

WHAT'S HE
DOING...?

SHAK

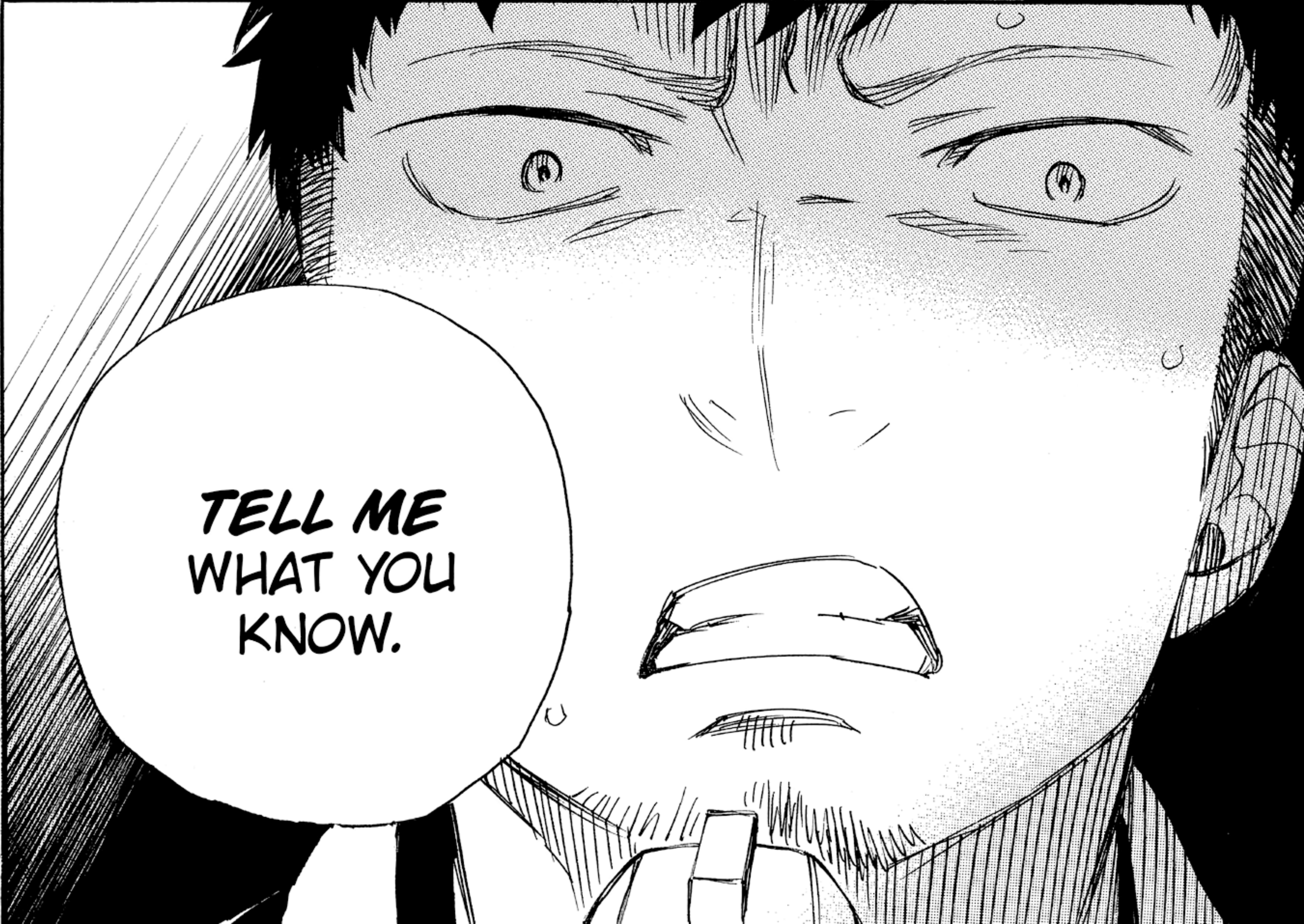
M...

MR.
OKUMURA?

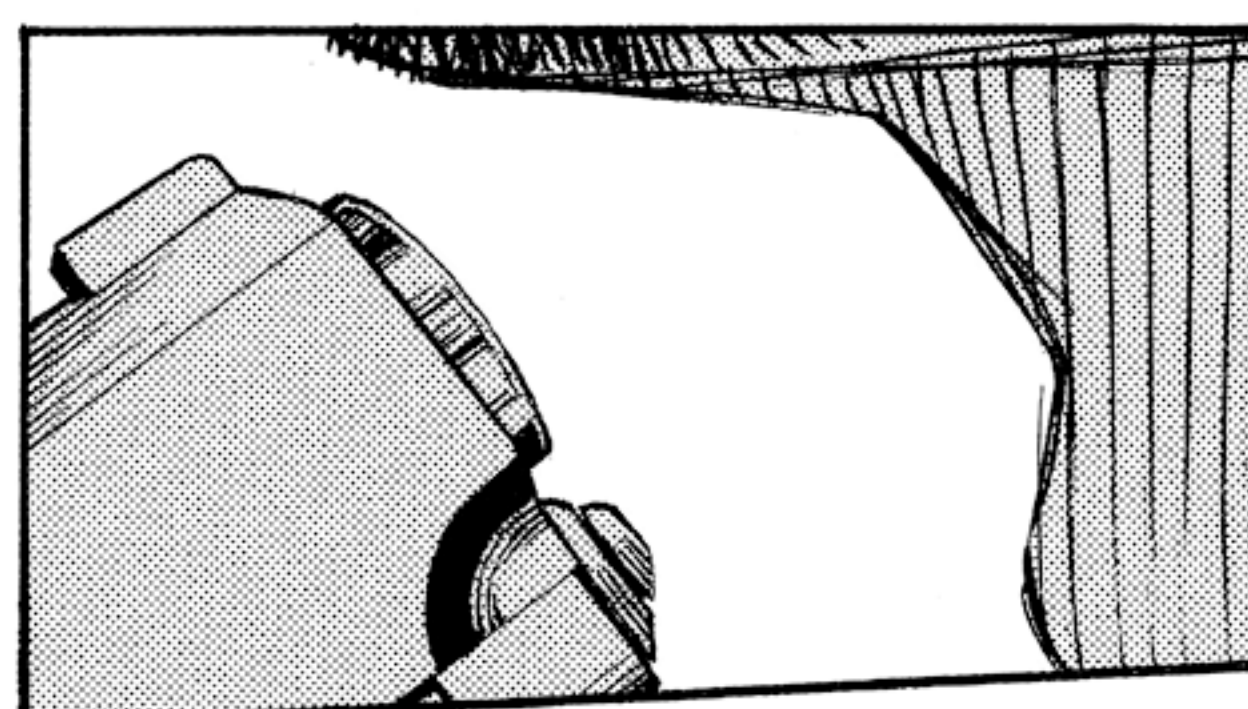
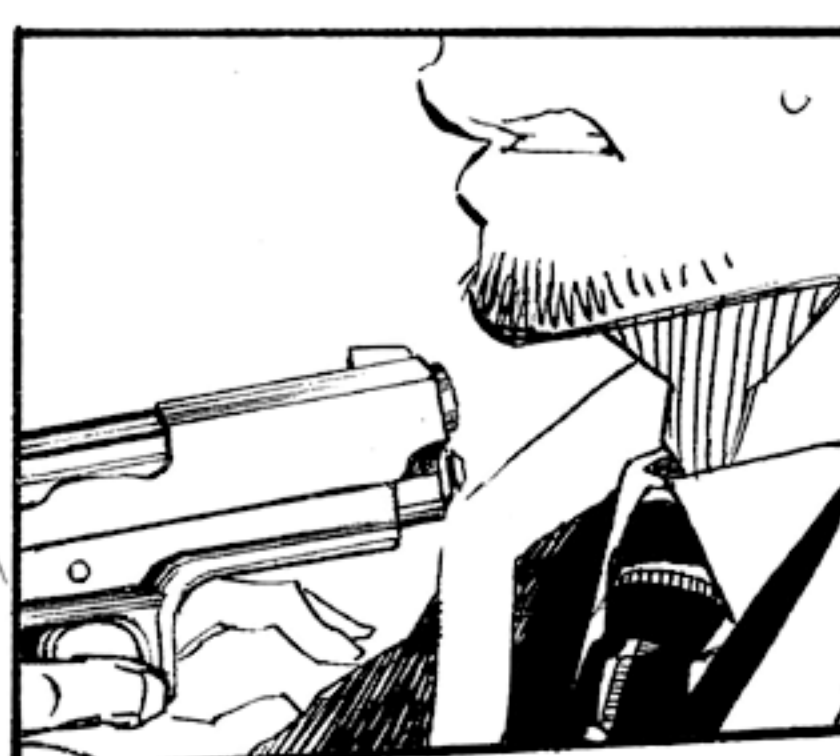


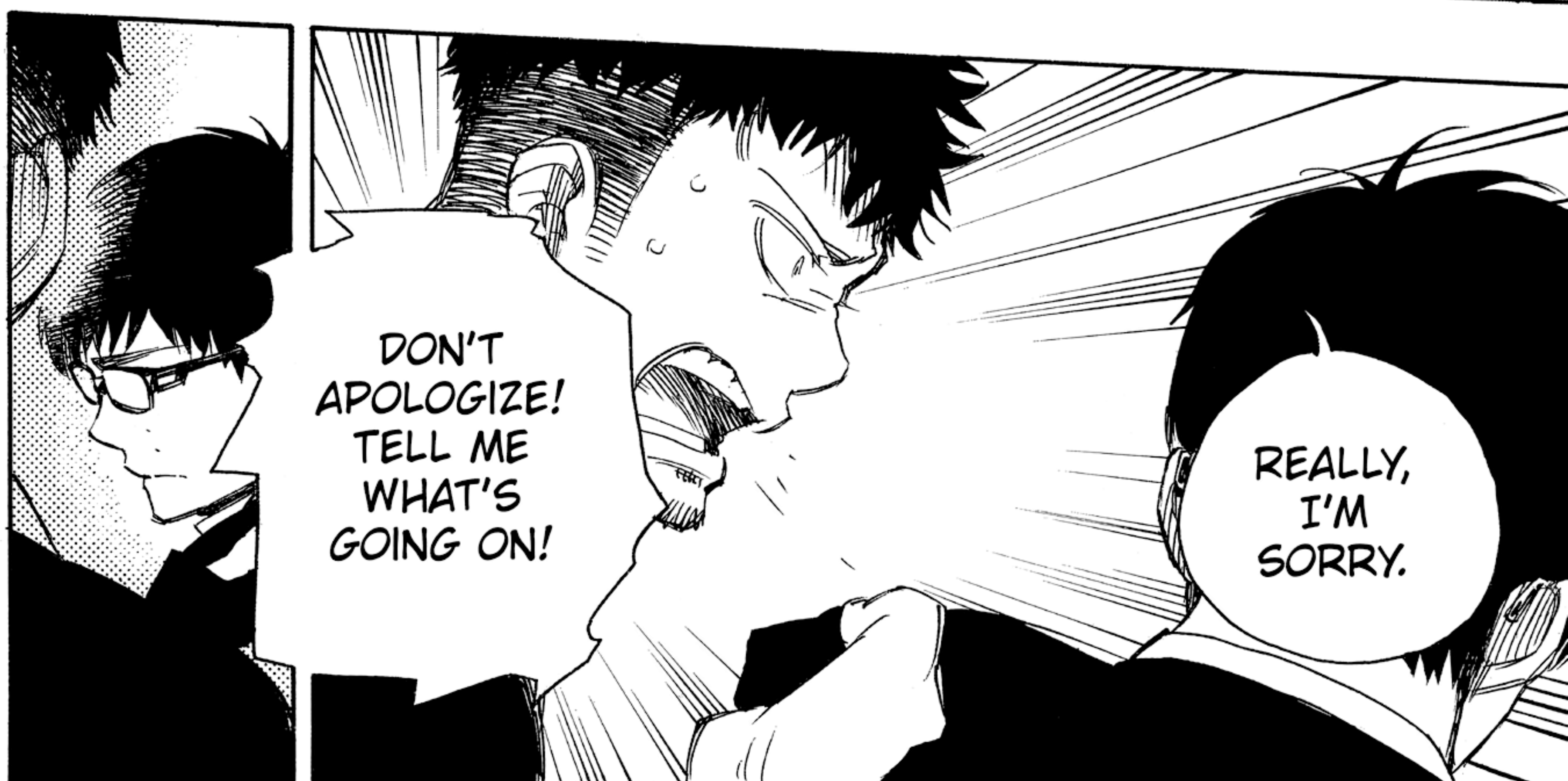
**DID HE
ALWAYS
HAVE THIS
LOOK IN
HIS
EYES??**

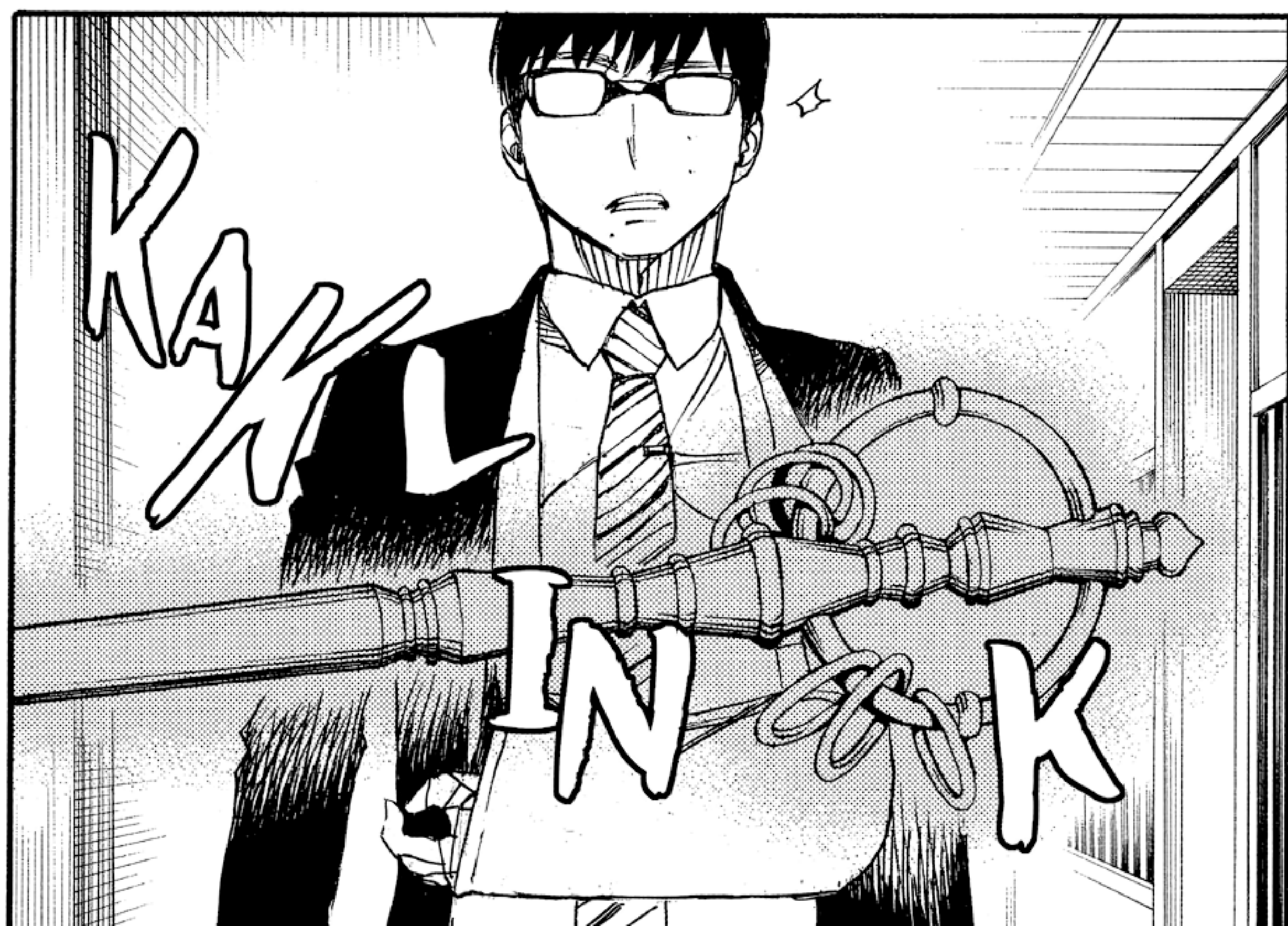
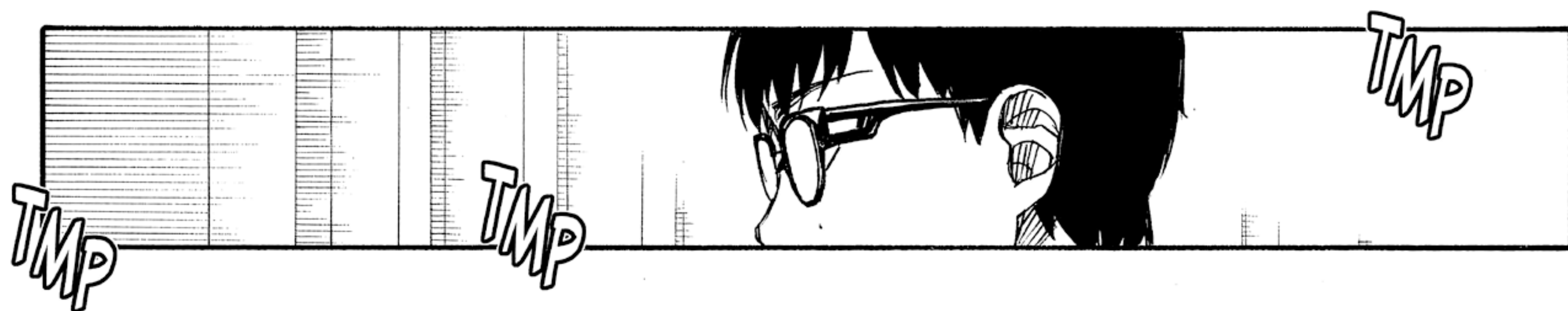
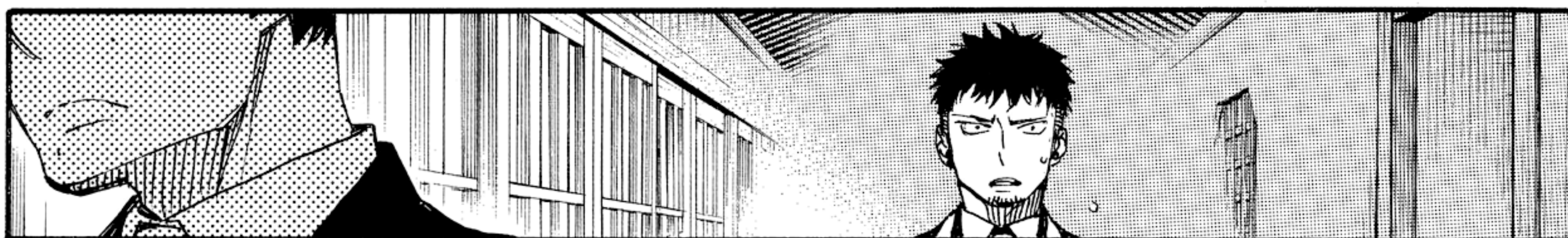
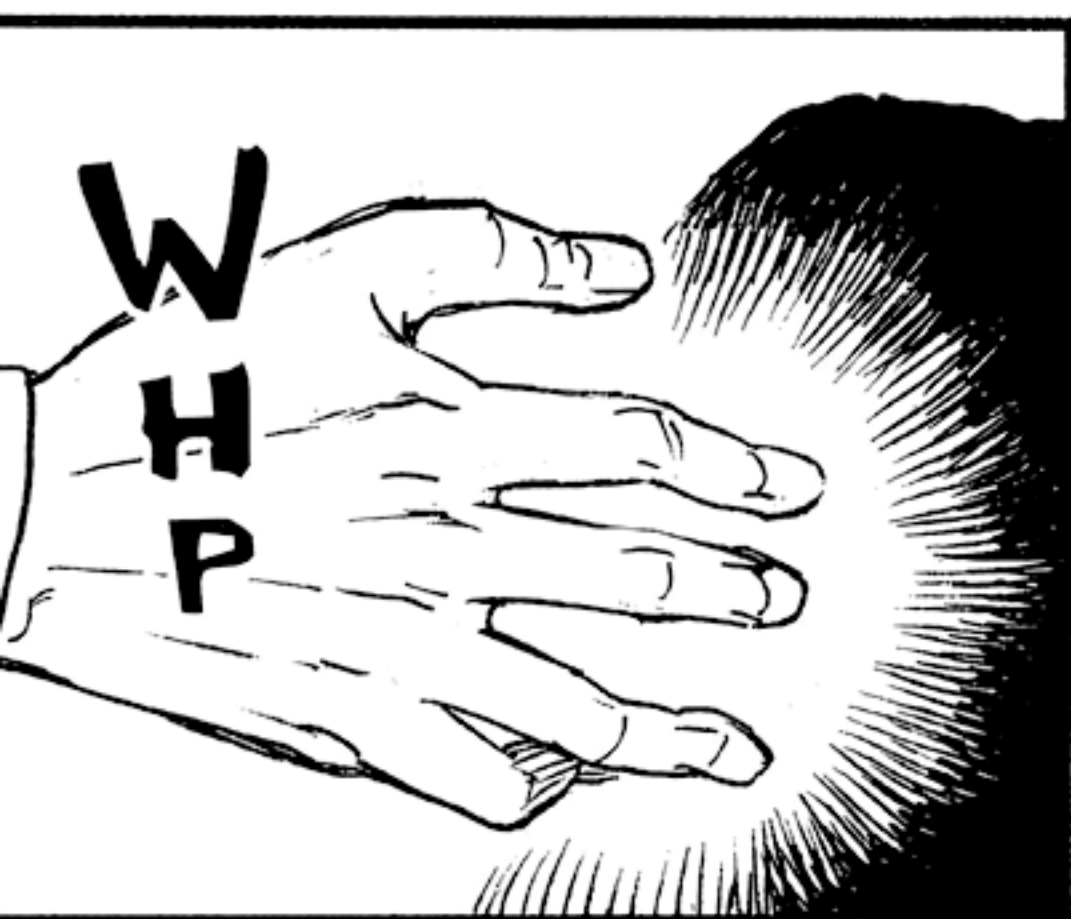
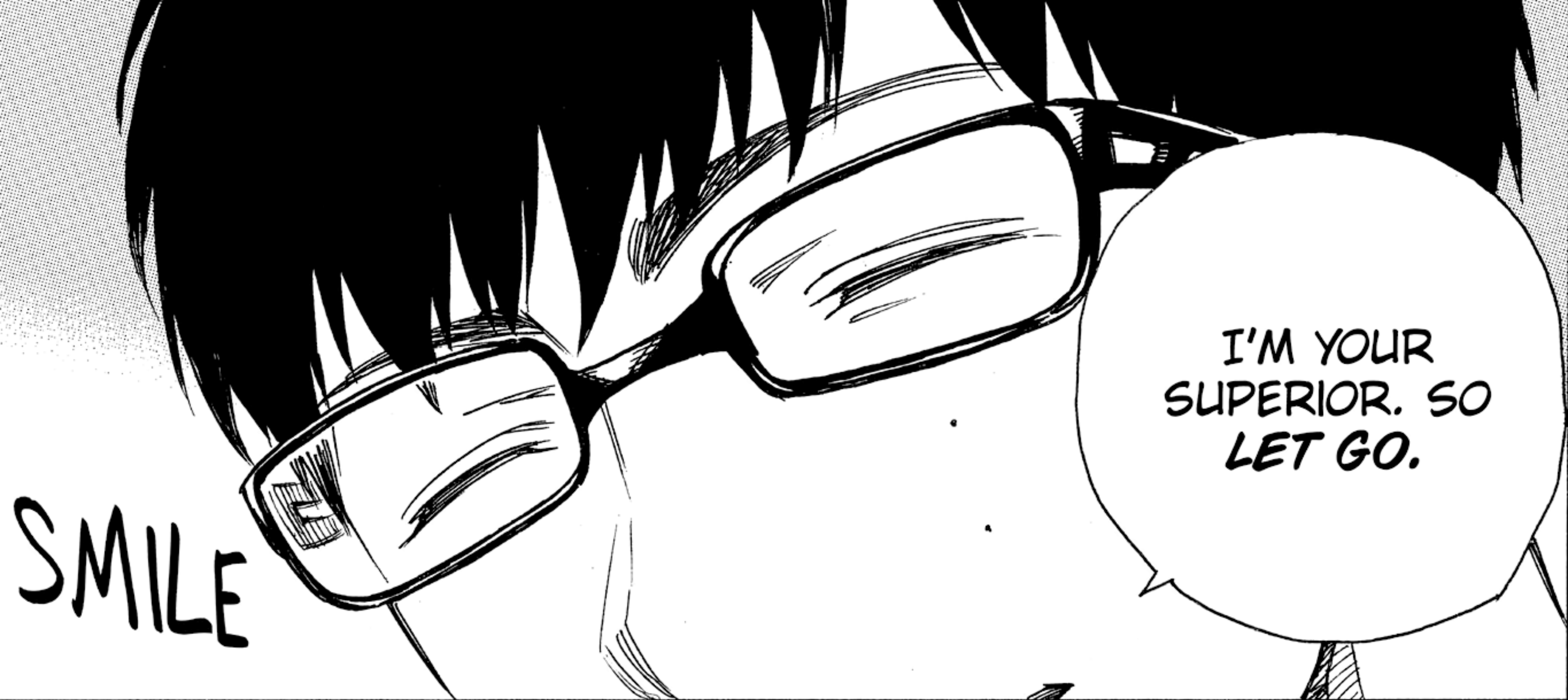
**WHAT
DO YOU
KNOW?**

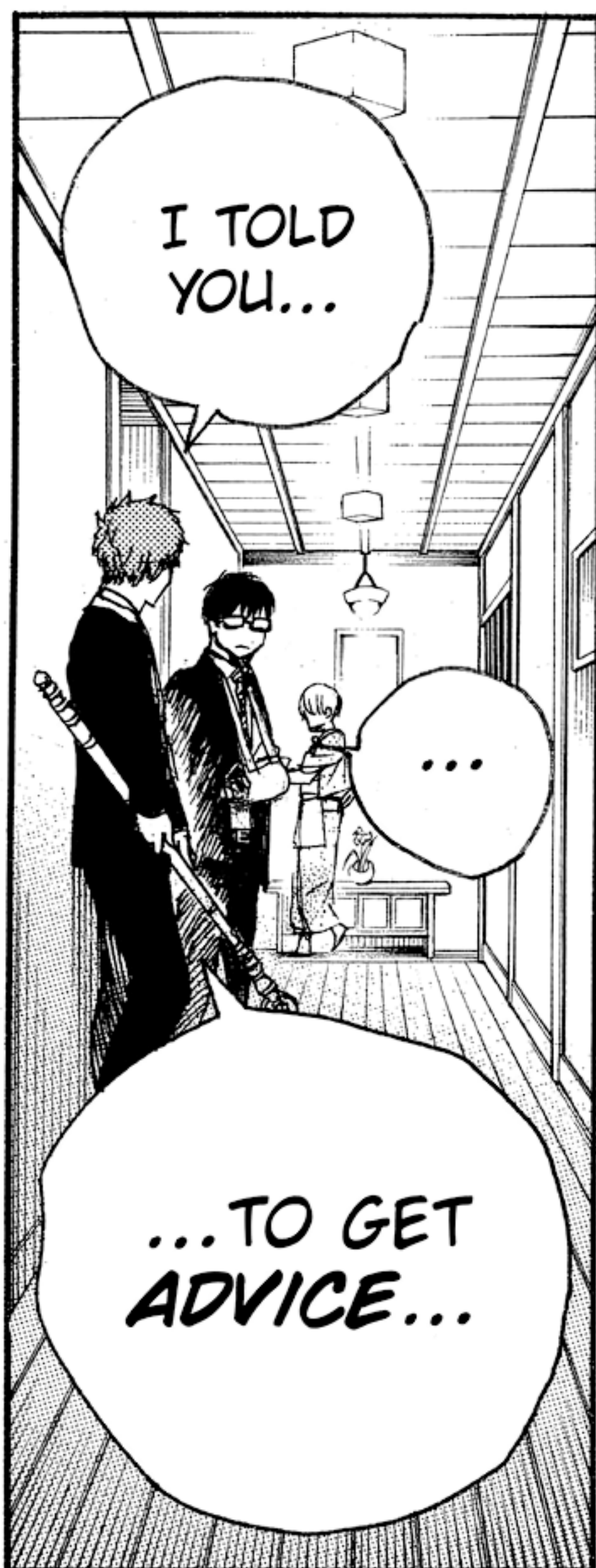


**TELL ME
WHAT YOU
KNOW.**

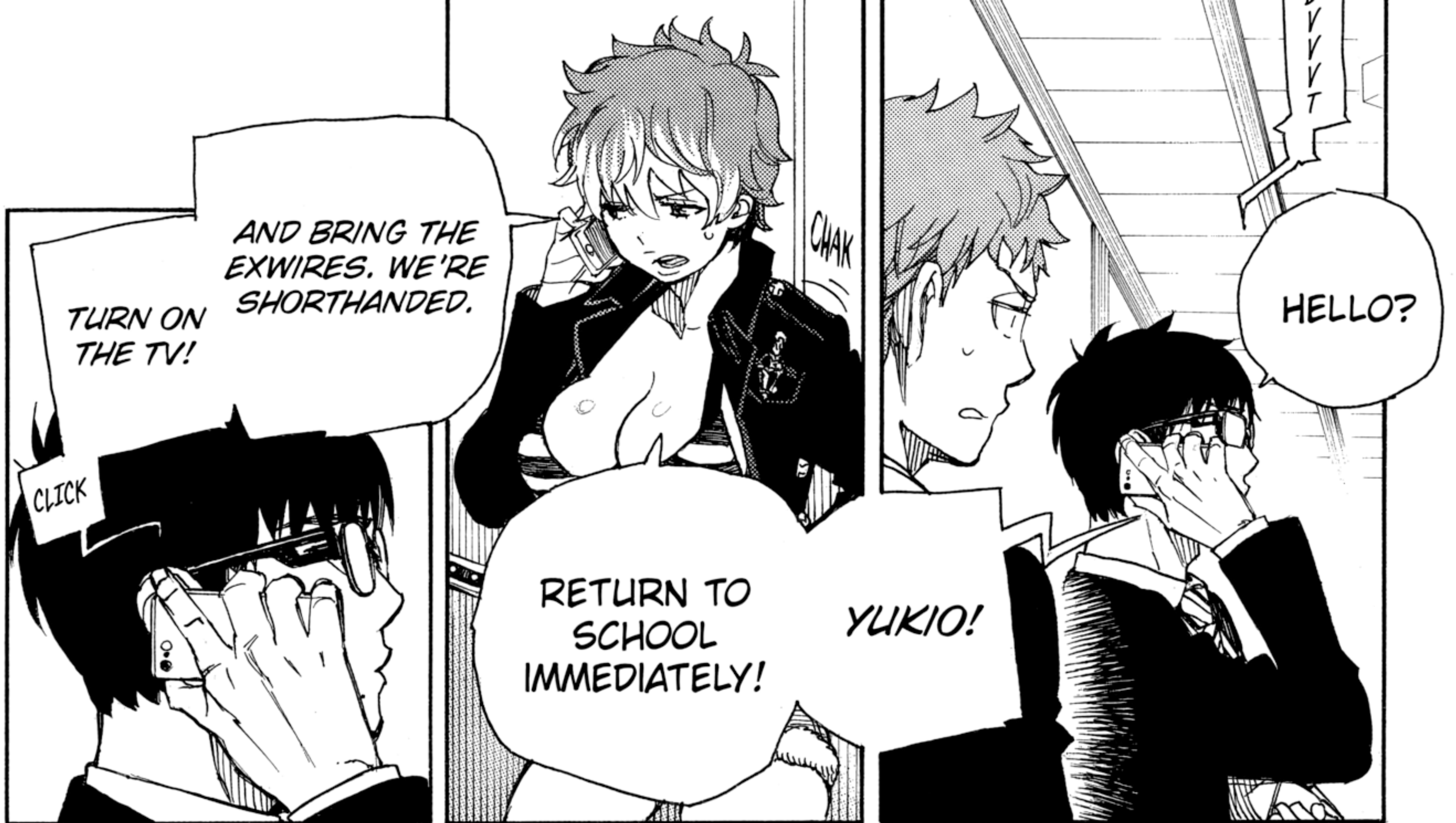












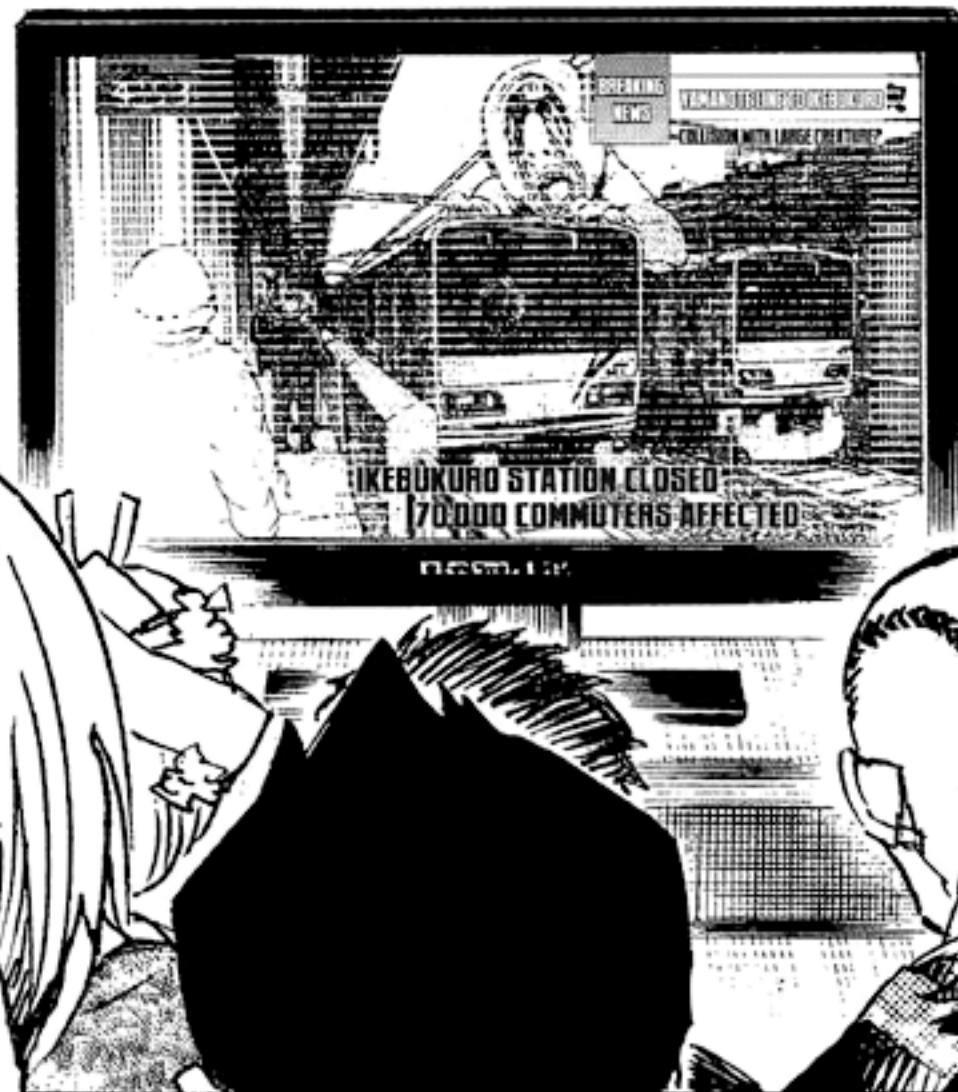
THEY BETTER
EVACUATE
FAST!

WHAT'S
HEADQUARTERS
DOING?!

CHATTER

HAS A HIGH-LEVEL
DEMON EVER
APPEARED IN THE
CITY LIKE THIS?

CHATTER



NOT
THAT I CAN
REMEMBER!

BREAKING
NEWS

YAMANOTE LINE TO IKEBUKURO

COLLISION WITH LARGE CREATURE?

**IKEBUKURO STATION CLOSED
70,000 COMMUTERS AFFECTED**

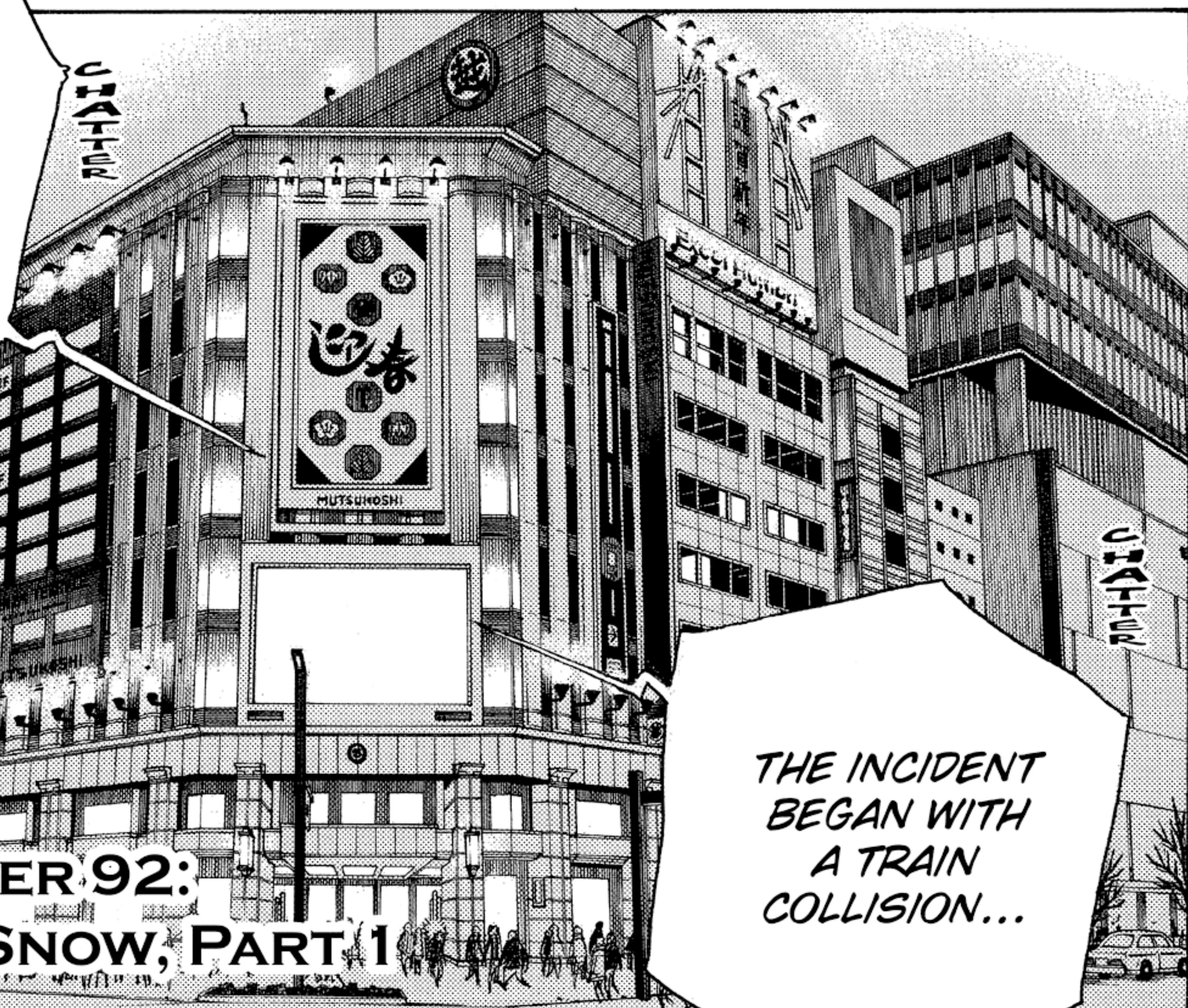
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WE'RE
HERE LIVE
FROM THE
SCENE...

...AS THE
AREA AROUND
IKEBUKURO
STATION
REMAINS
SEALED OFF.



THE INCIDENT
BEGAN WITH
A TRAIN
COLLISION...

CHAPTER 92:
BEYOND THE SNOW, PART 1

WHAT IS
THAT?

?

I GUESS THAT'S
HOW A TRAIN'S
WINDSHIELD
BREAKS...

I THINK
IT'S
REAL.

HUH
??

BUT...

HUH?

IT MUST
BE CG,
RIGHT?

...BUT AN HOUR
LATER, THERE'S A
TWO-KILOMETER
BLOCKADE
SURROUNDING
THE STATION.

IS THAT
NEWS FOR
REAL?



SIGN: TORAYA

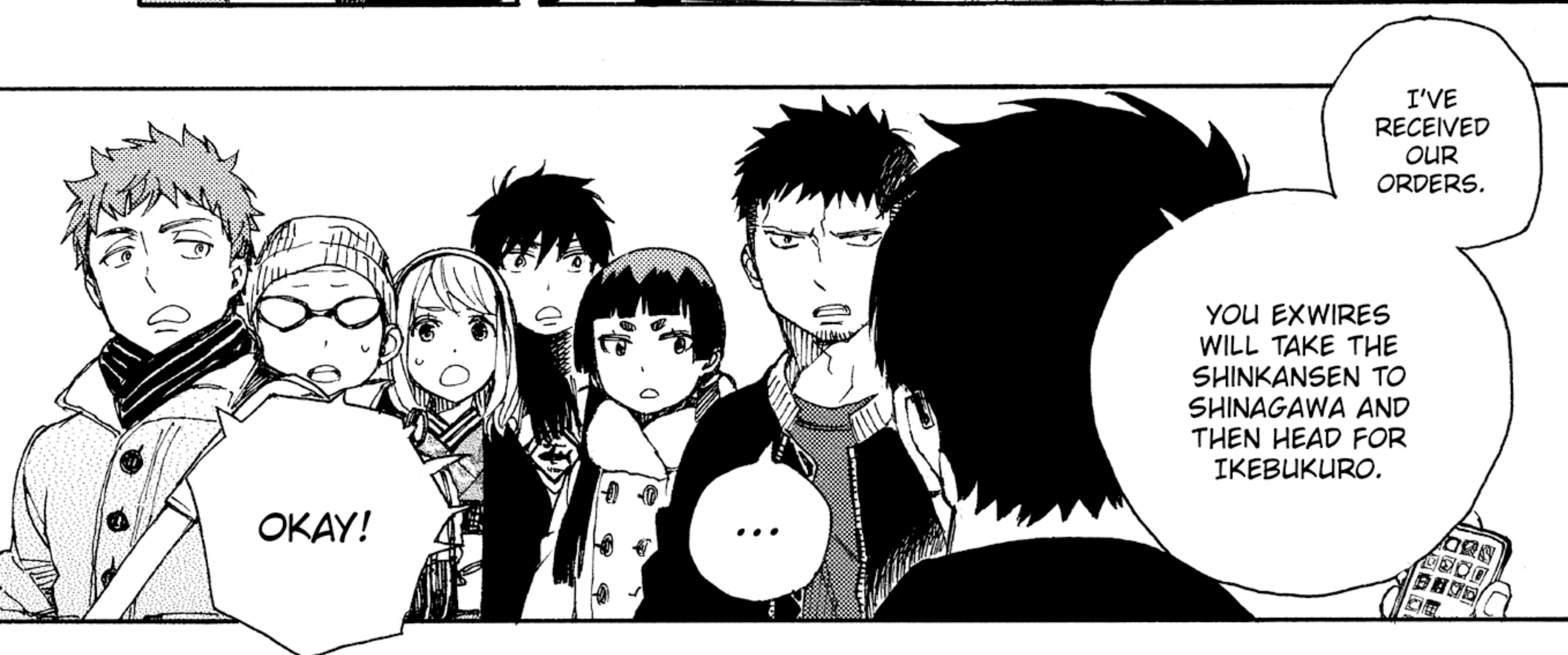




SOMETHING'S
HAPPENING.

MORE HAVE BEEN
APPEARING IN
KYOTO TOO, SO WE
COULD BARELY
REST DURING THE
YEAR-END
HOLIDAYS.

AND MORE
PEOPLE ARE
ABLE TO SEE
THEM.



OKAY!

...

I'VE
RECEIVED
OUR
ORDERS.

YOU EXWIRES
WILL TAKE THE
SHINKANSEN TO
SHINAGAWA AND
THEN HEAD FOR
IKEBUKURO.



CHAK

AND,
UM...

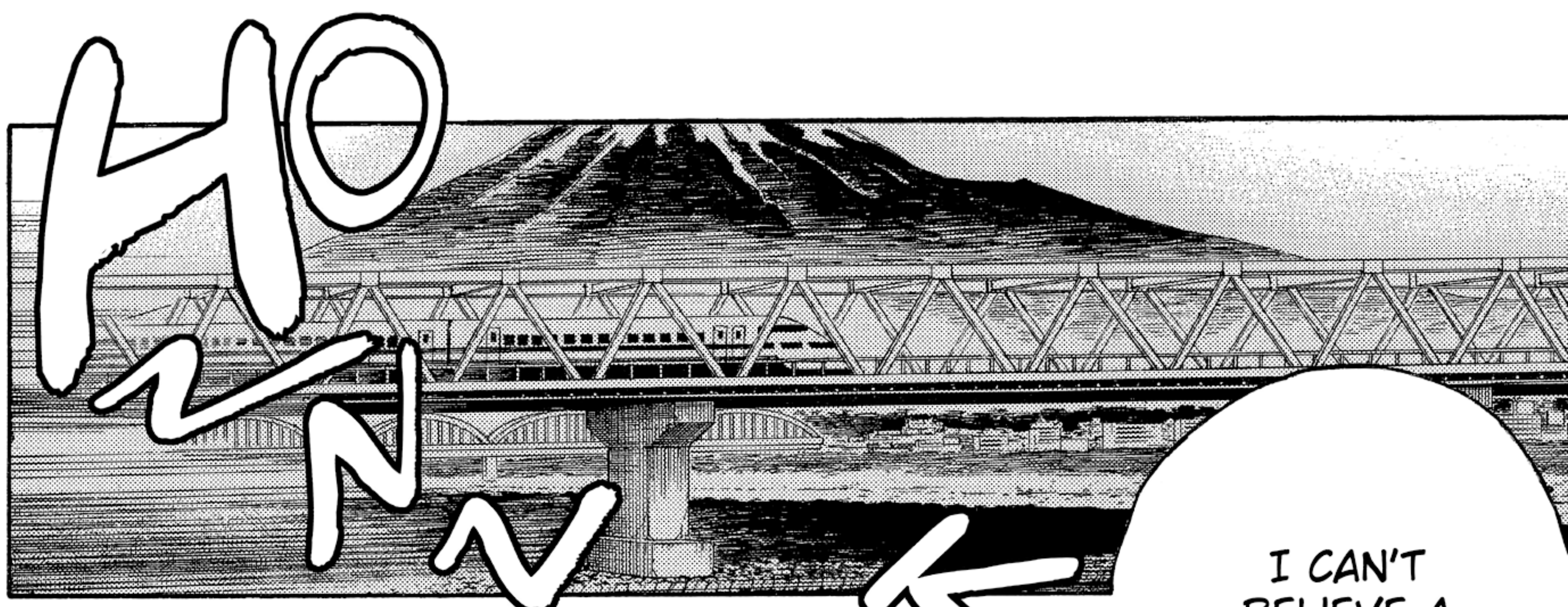


NOW, IF
YOU'LL
EXCUSE
ME...



YOKA

I'LL USE A
MAGIC KEY TO
RETURN AHEAD
OF YOU AND
JOIN THE
FIGHT.

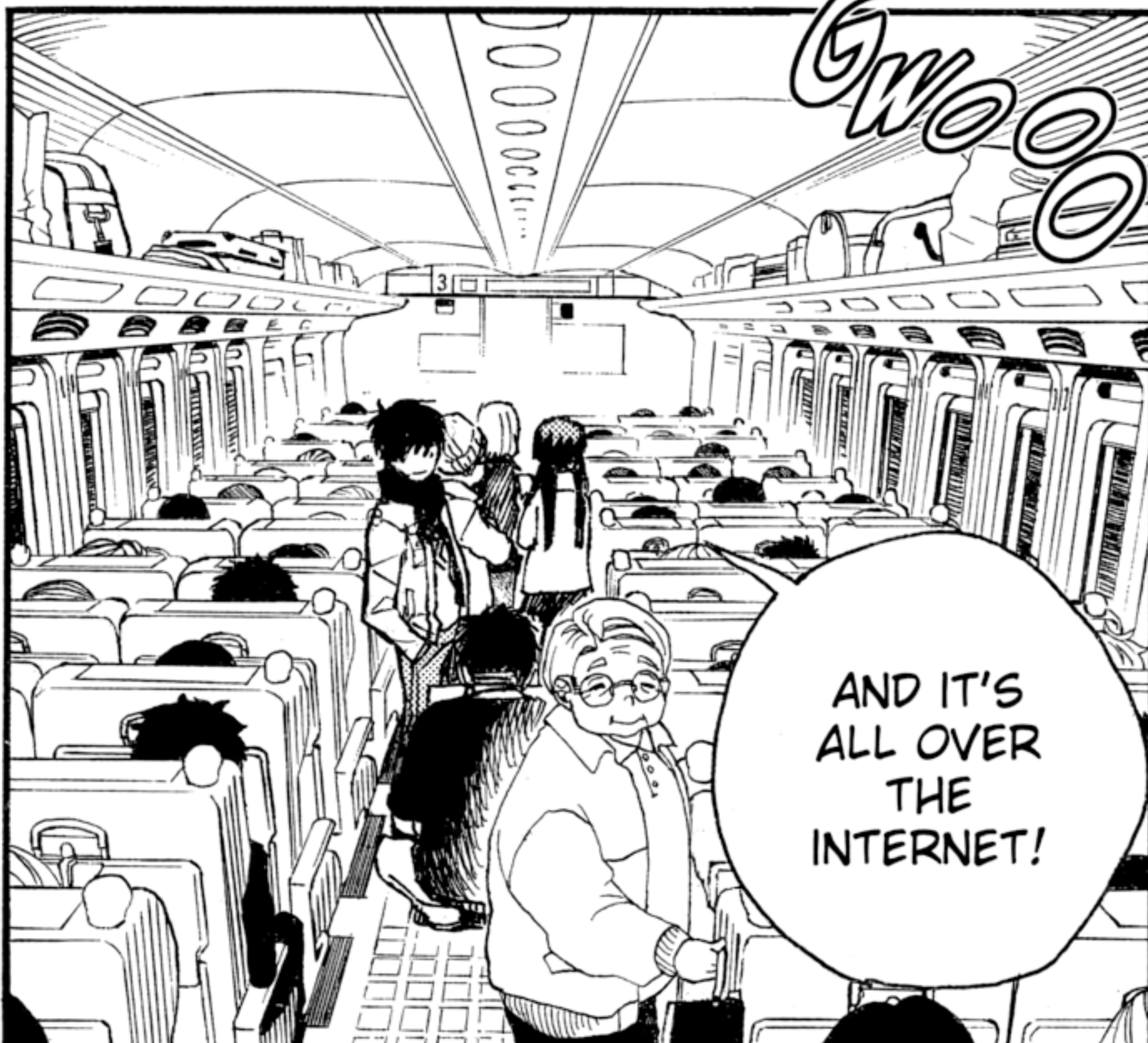


SIGN: IKEBUKURO STATION CLOSED

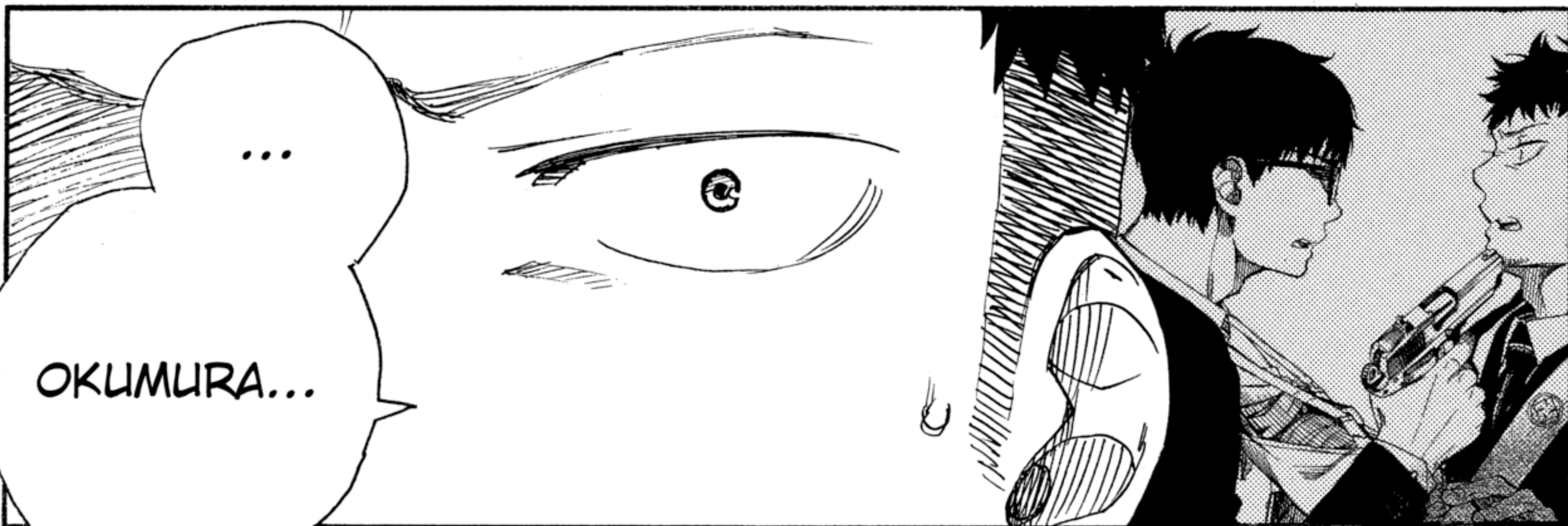




SUGURO, YOU
SEEM BUSY
THESE DAYS.



AND IT'S
ALL OVER
THE
INTERNET!



OKUMURA...



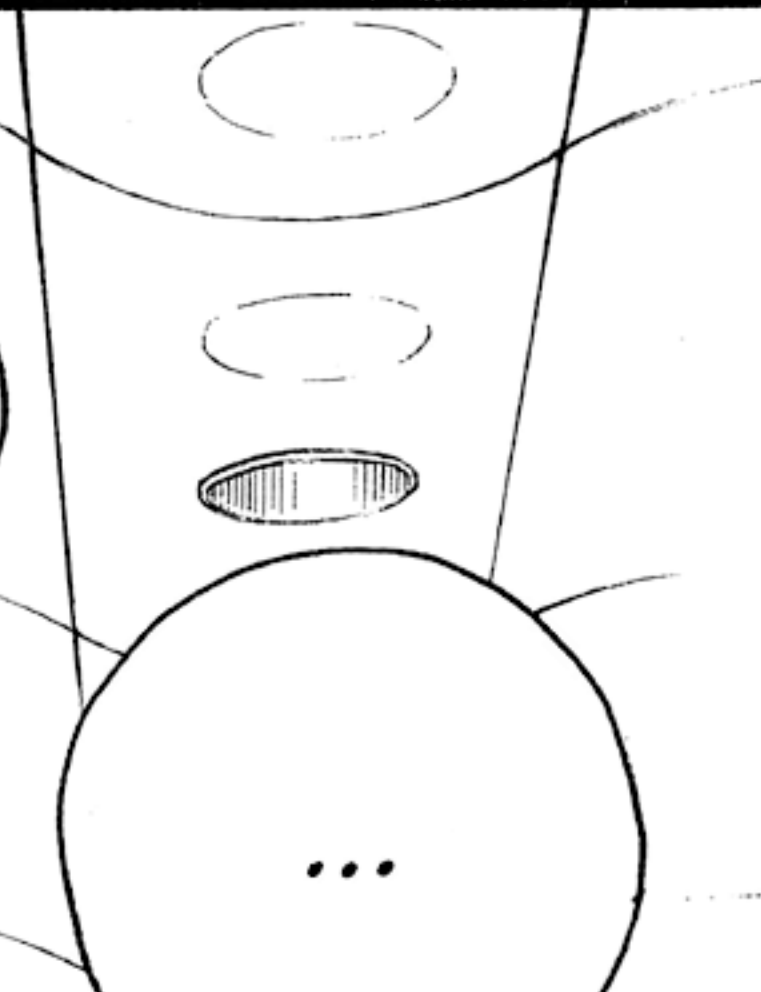
BUT NOT
NOW. AND
NOT RIGHT
HERE.

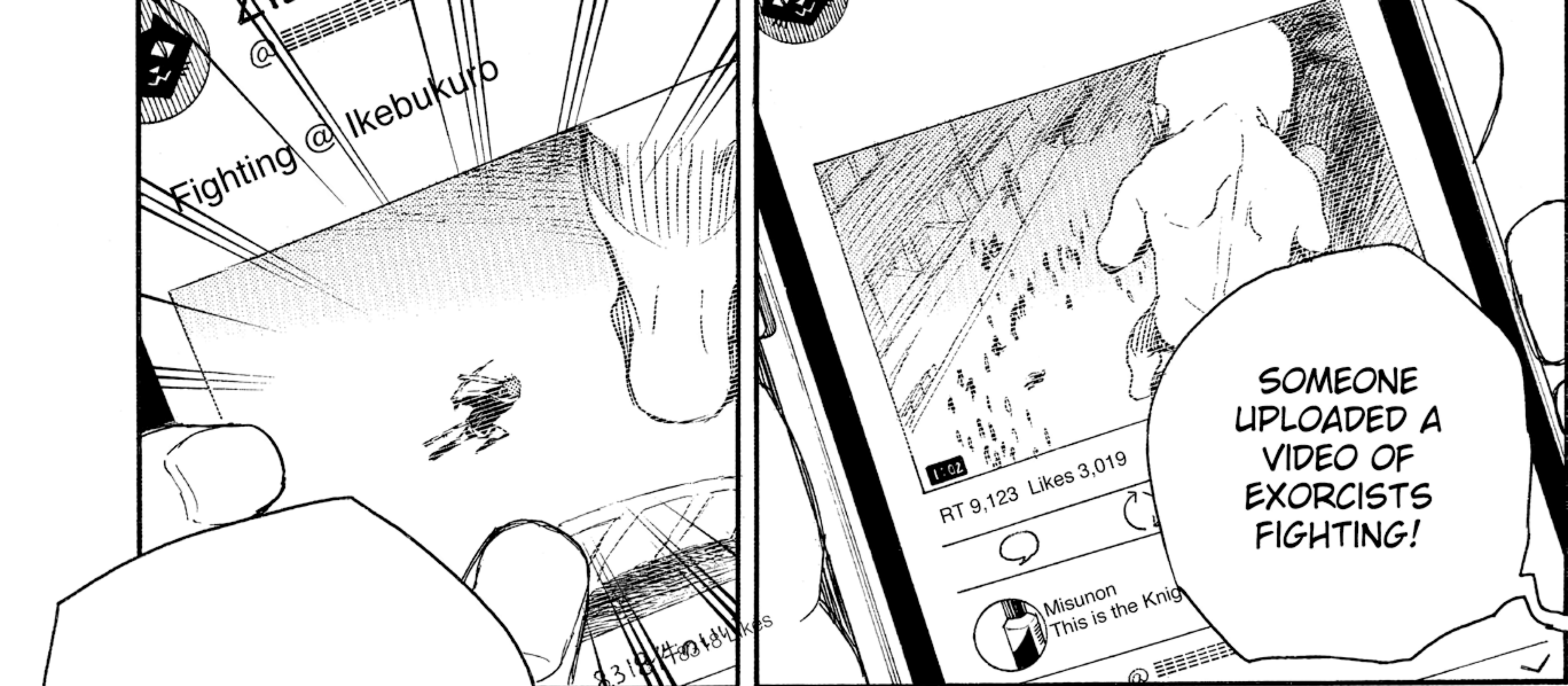
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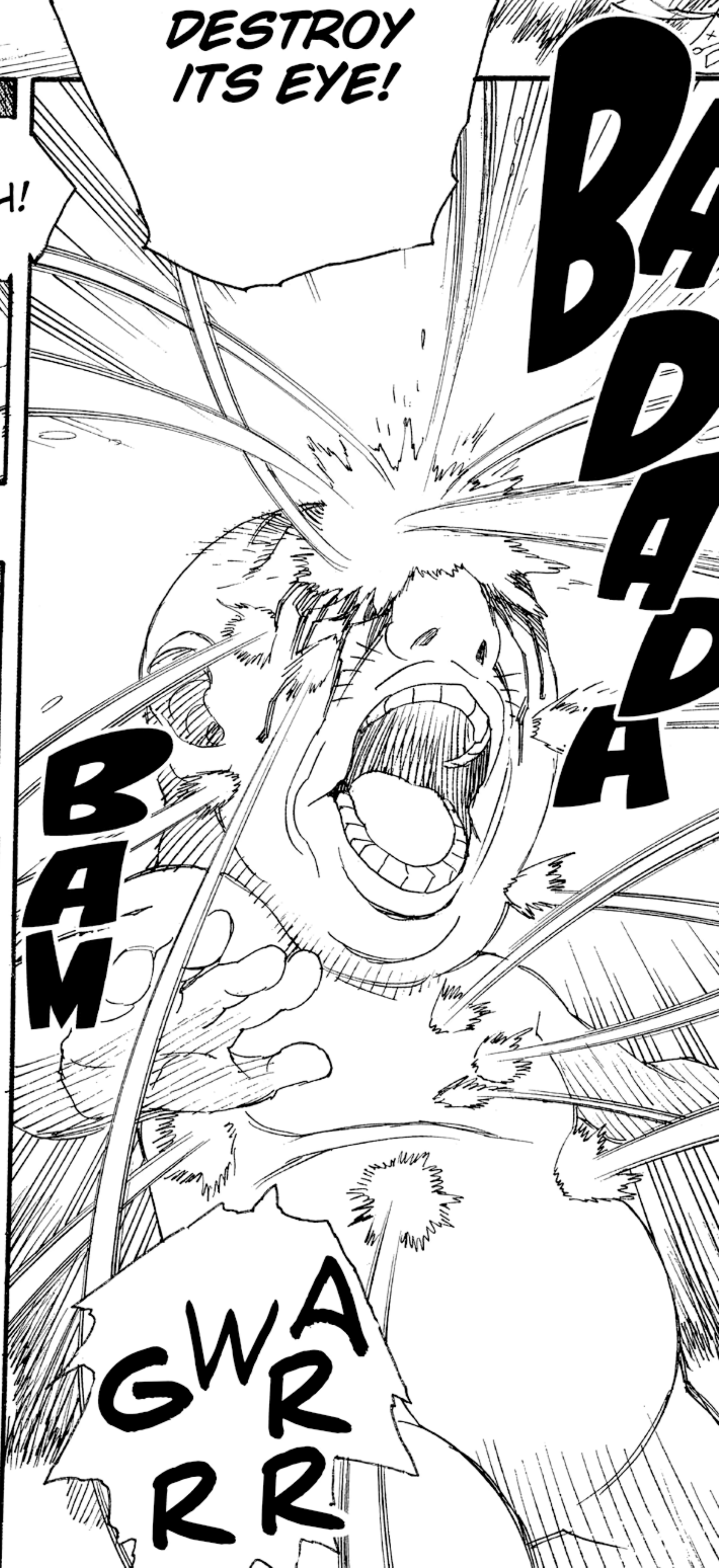


I NEED TO
TALK TO
YOU.

OH?









"IT IS A GOD
OF FIRE AND
IRON..."

...THAT
OCCASIONALLY
FEEDS ON
HUMANS."

"ITS GIANT EYE
EMITS FIRE, AND
IT WILL RAMPAGE
UNTIL THAT EYE
CLOSES."

**THE
BATTLEFIELD
BECAME A
SEA OF
FLAME."**

WE CAN'T
LET THAT
HAPPEN TO
THE CITY!

?!
BAW

WHAT'S IT
DOING?

WE GOTTA
FREEZE IT!

**V
R
E
E
E
N**

**B
A
D
A
B
A
N**



SORAIRO POWER
ソライロパワー
A アドベンチャー

NULIE

アドベンチャー

新白年

ミューズ
MIG GAMES

新春
SALE

ガラスの仮面

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BOOM

CEASE
FIRE!

RETREAT
!!

新春
SALE





IT'S ALREADY BIGGER THAN WHEN I SAW IT ON THE NEWS!

WOW!

PROBABLY BECAUSE DEMONS GET STRONGER WHEN MORE PEOPLE SENSE THEM.

NO ONE SAID IT COULD SHOOT BEAMS!!!



...AND SO ON.

"COME FORTH, GENERAL FROST..."



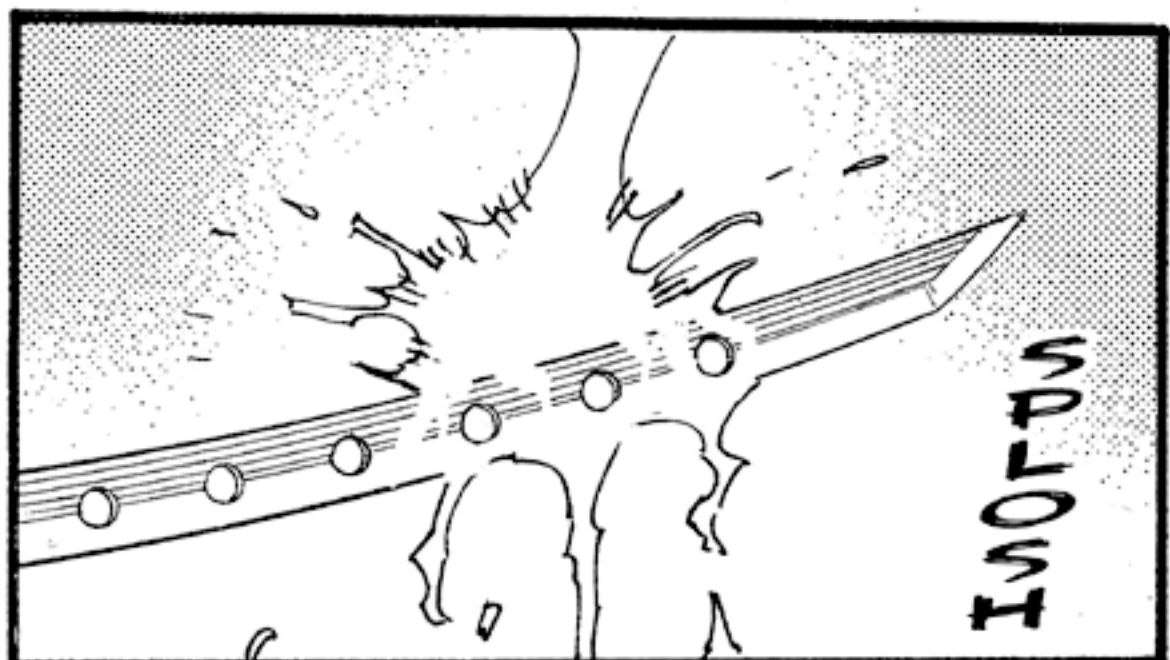
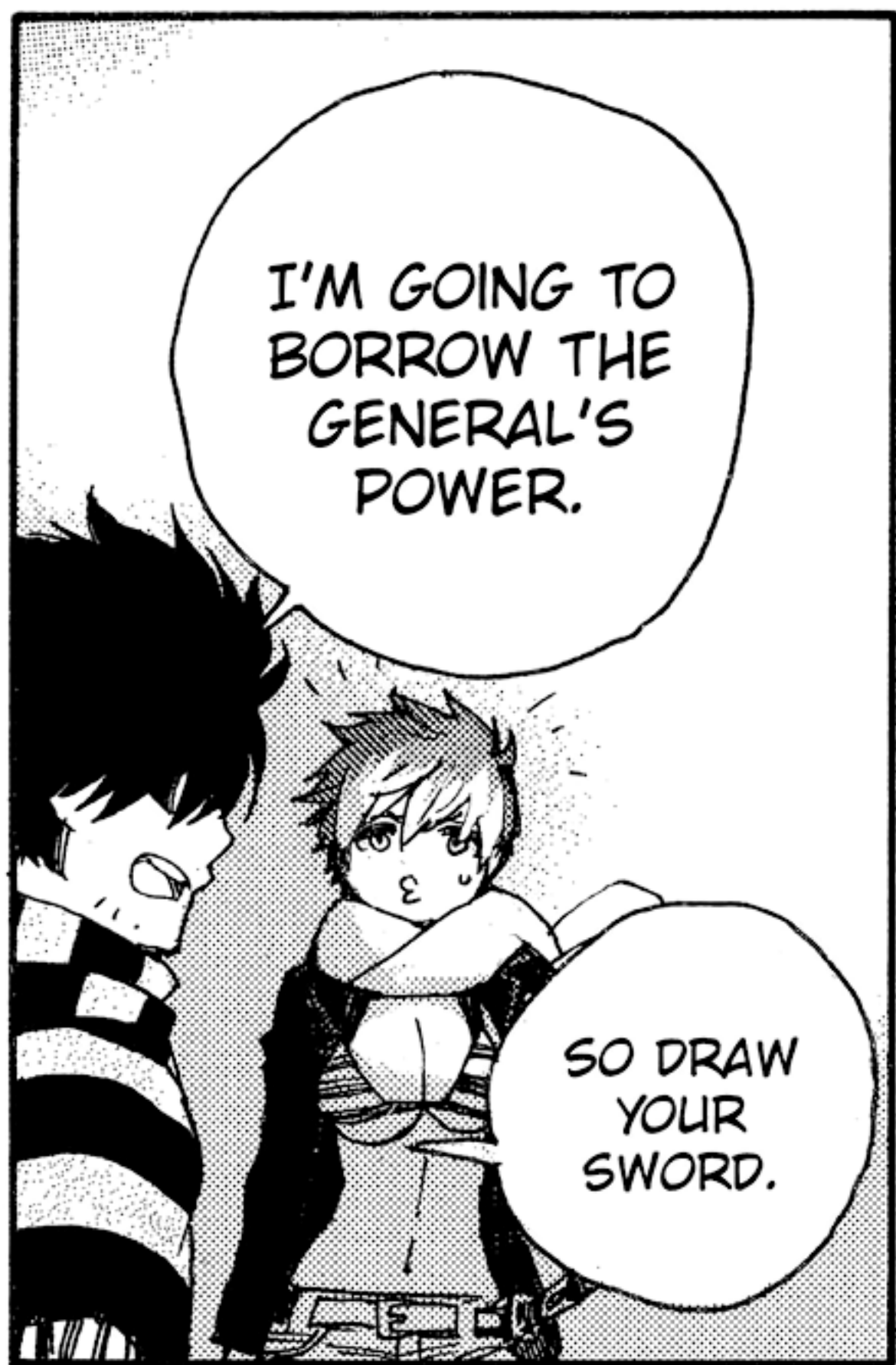
HIDING.

YOU'RE LATE, YOU BLEPPING MORON!

WHAT WERE YOU DOING ?!

BUT THINGS LOOKED ROUGH, SO I CAME TO HELP.

ADMIRABLE OF ME, NO?





FW
O

AND MAKE IT
ENOUGH TO MATCH
THE EIGHT HOLES
IN HER SWORD!

...

!!

GAH!



HUH?

AND...?



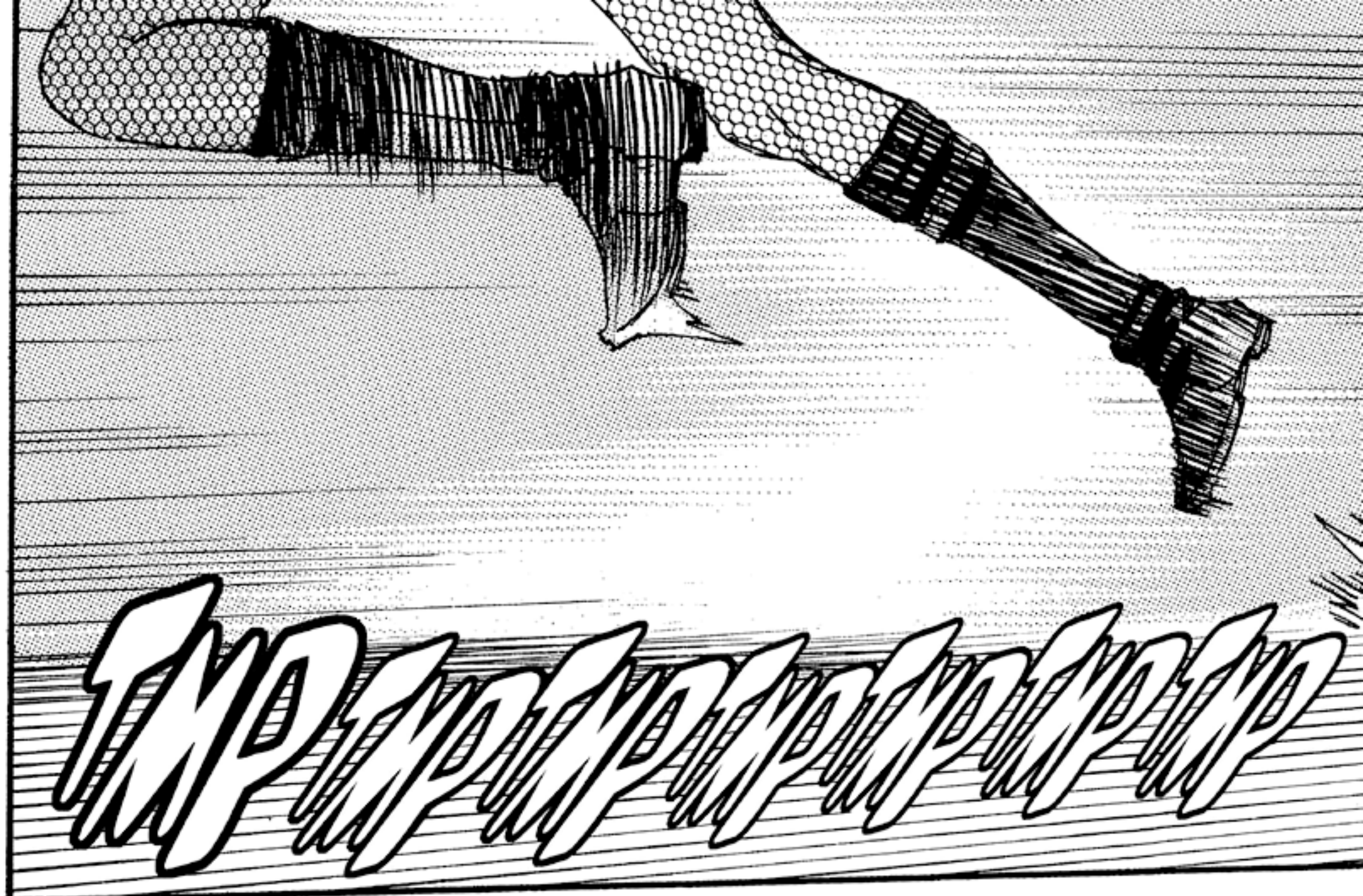
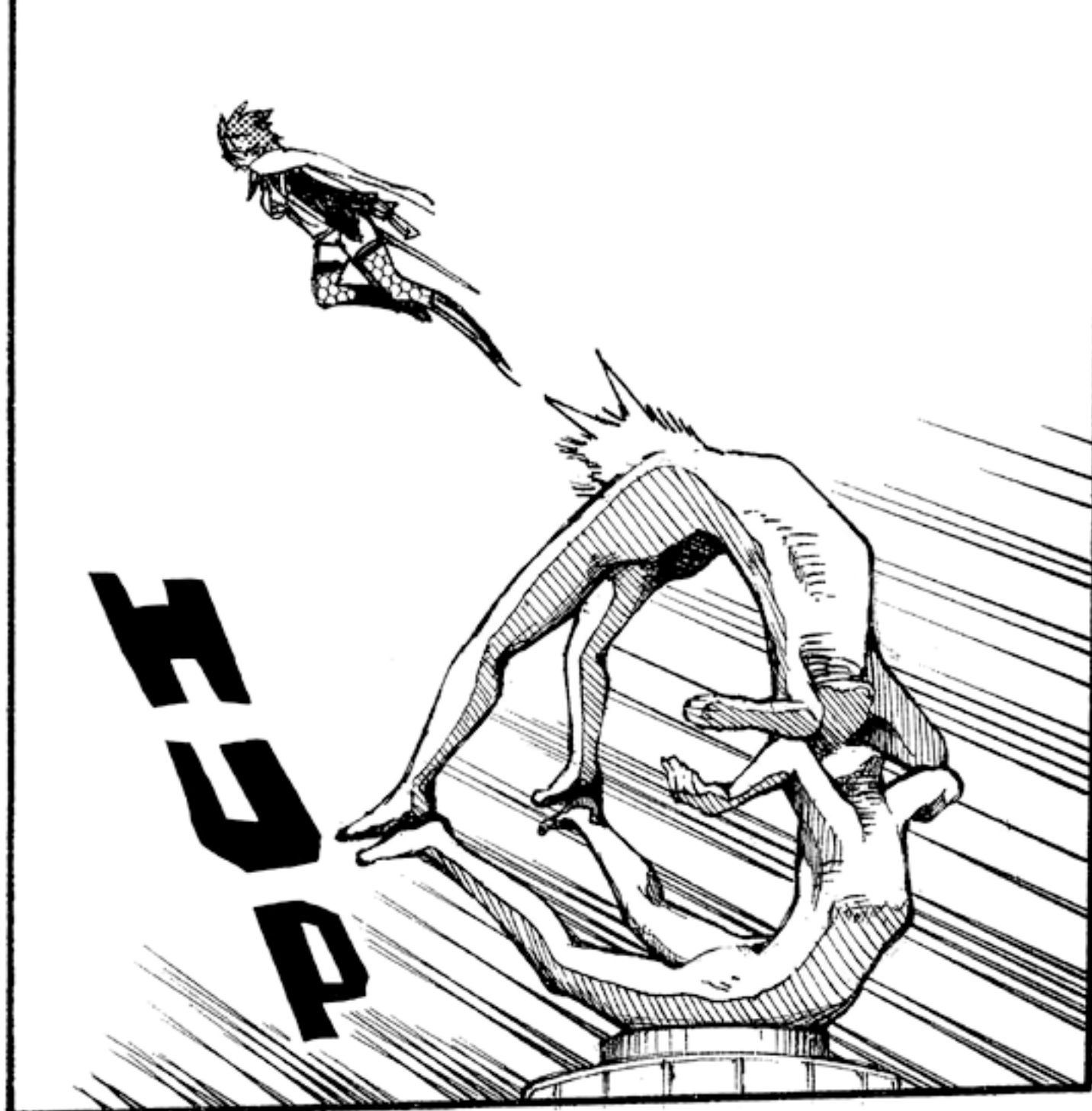
YEAH!
LEAVE THE
BACKUP
TO ME!

SO I'M THE
ONE WHO
HAS TO
FIGHT IT?!

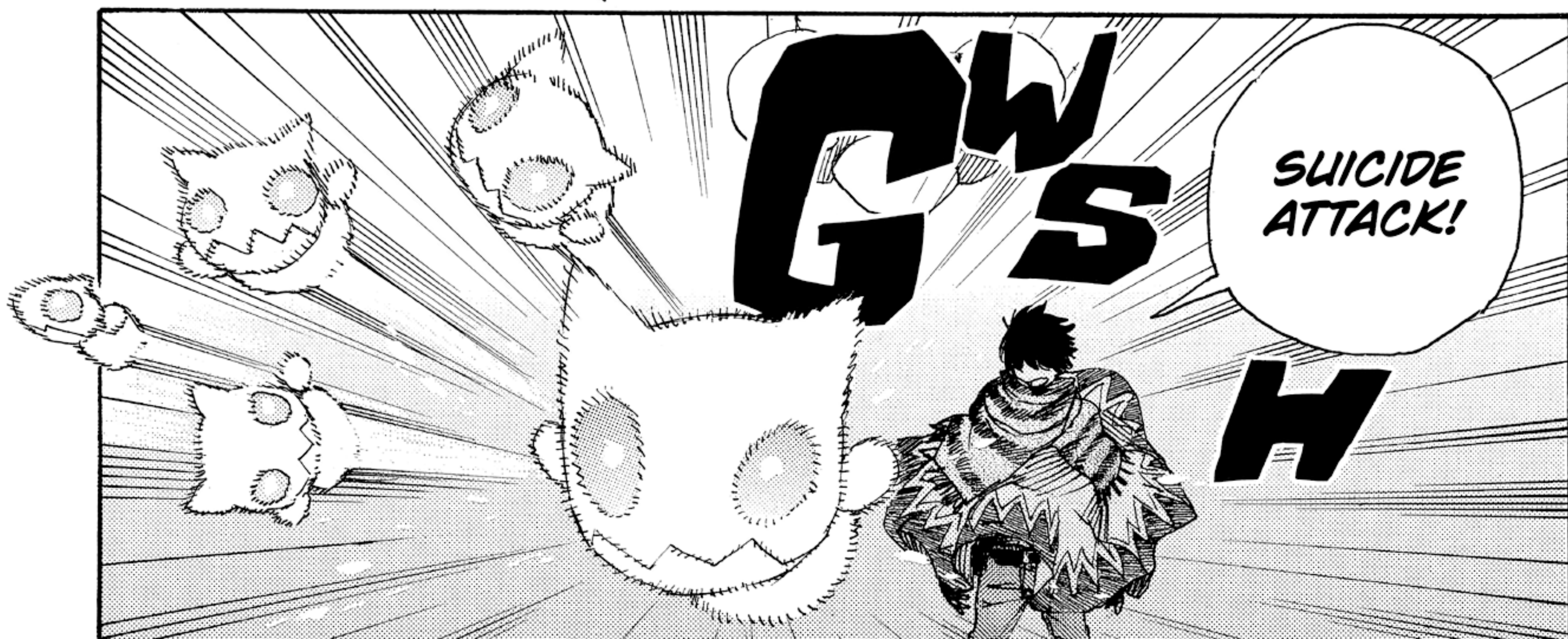
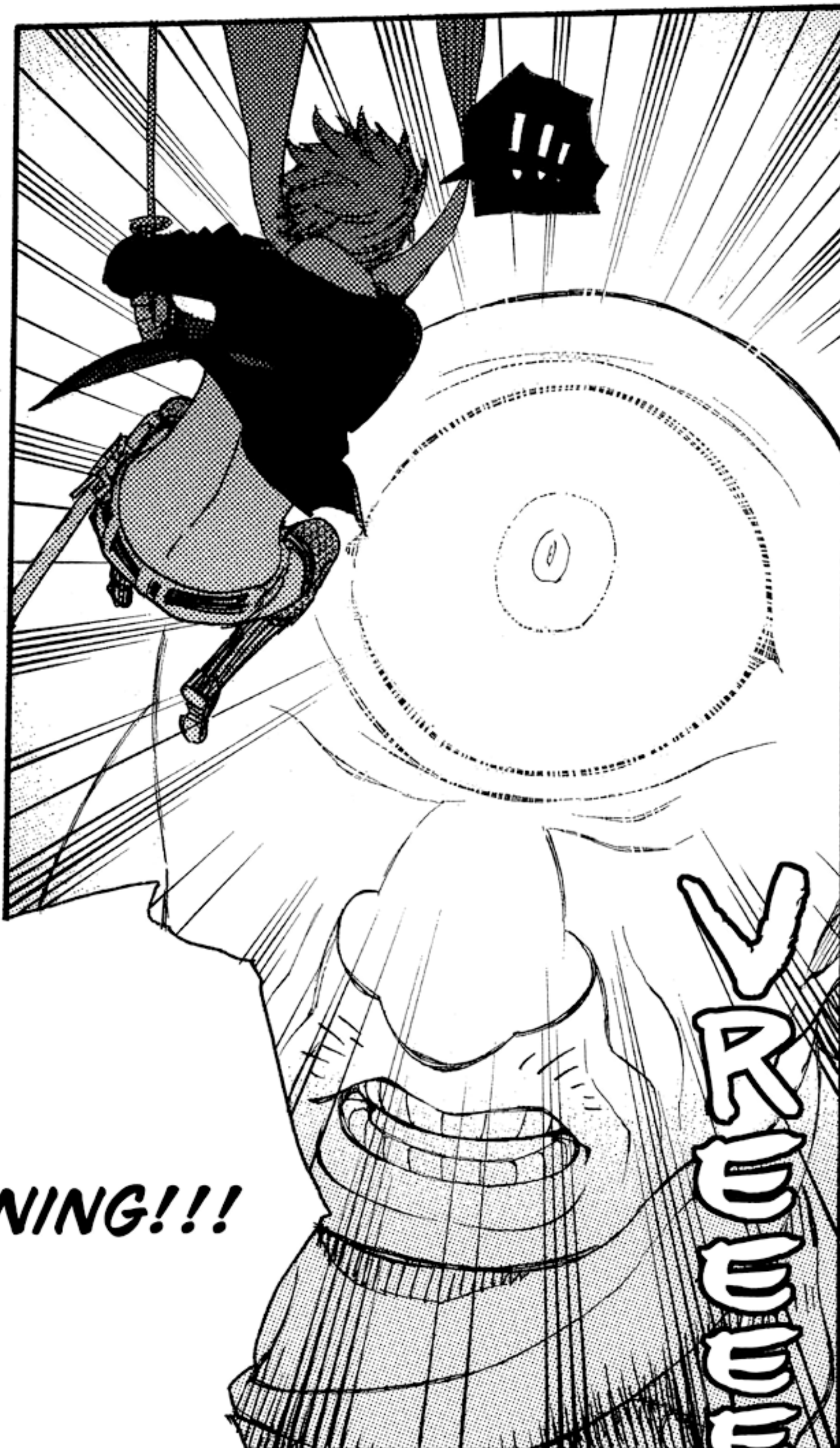
YOUR SWORD IS
EMPTY, BUT
THAT MAKES IT
AN EASY
VESSEL TO
POSSESS.

AND IT'S
ESPECIALLY
COMPATIBLE
WITH AIR AND
WATER.

IT SHOULD
PACK QUITE
A WALLOP
NOW!



LIGHTNING!!!



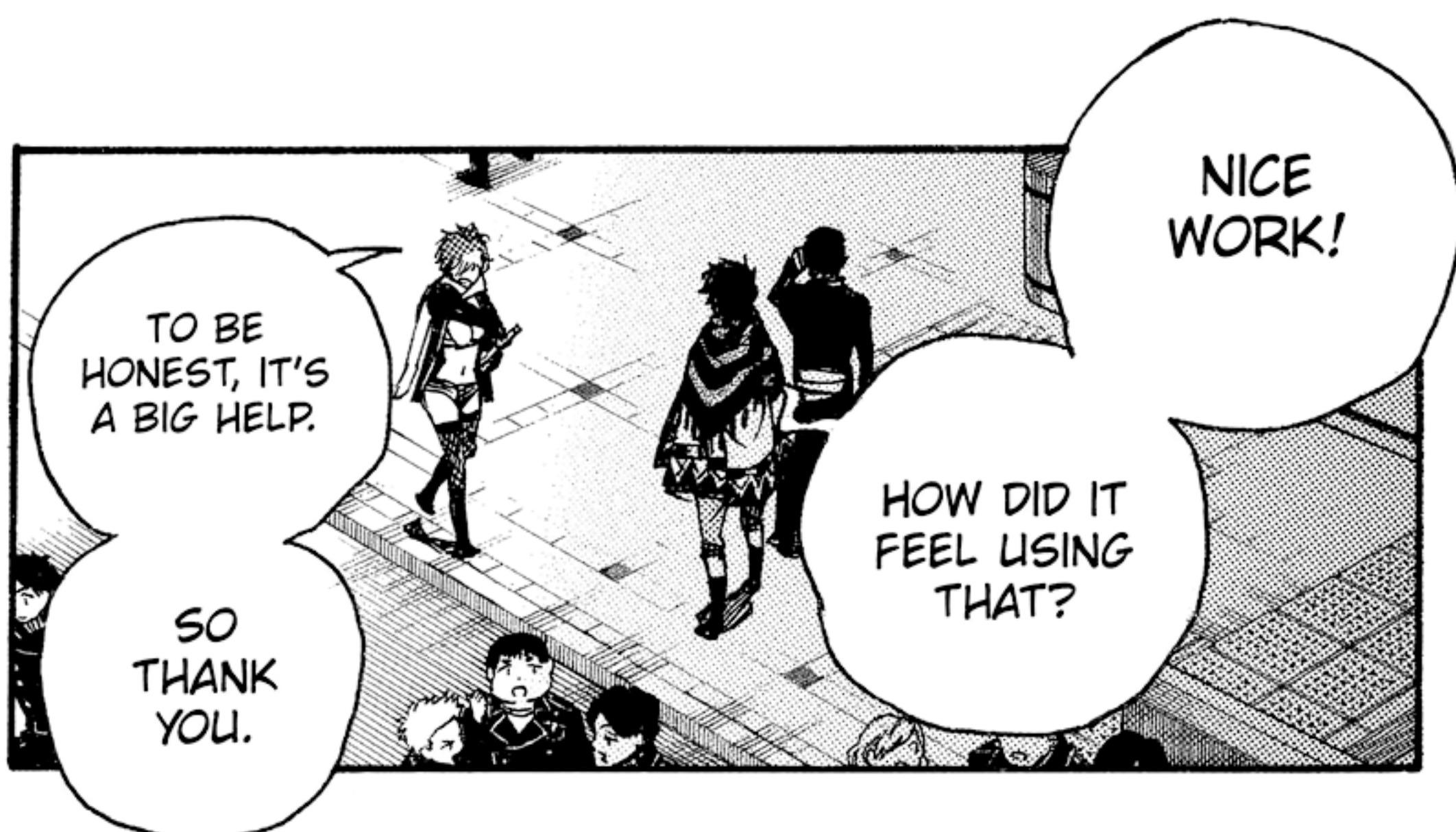
KIRIGAKURE-
STYLE ART OF
THE MAGIC
SWORD...

GRAAA
**BO
OM**

**BO
BA OM** RAWWR

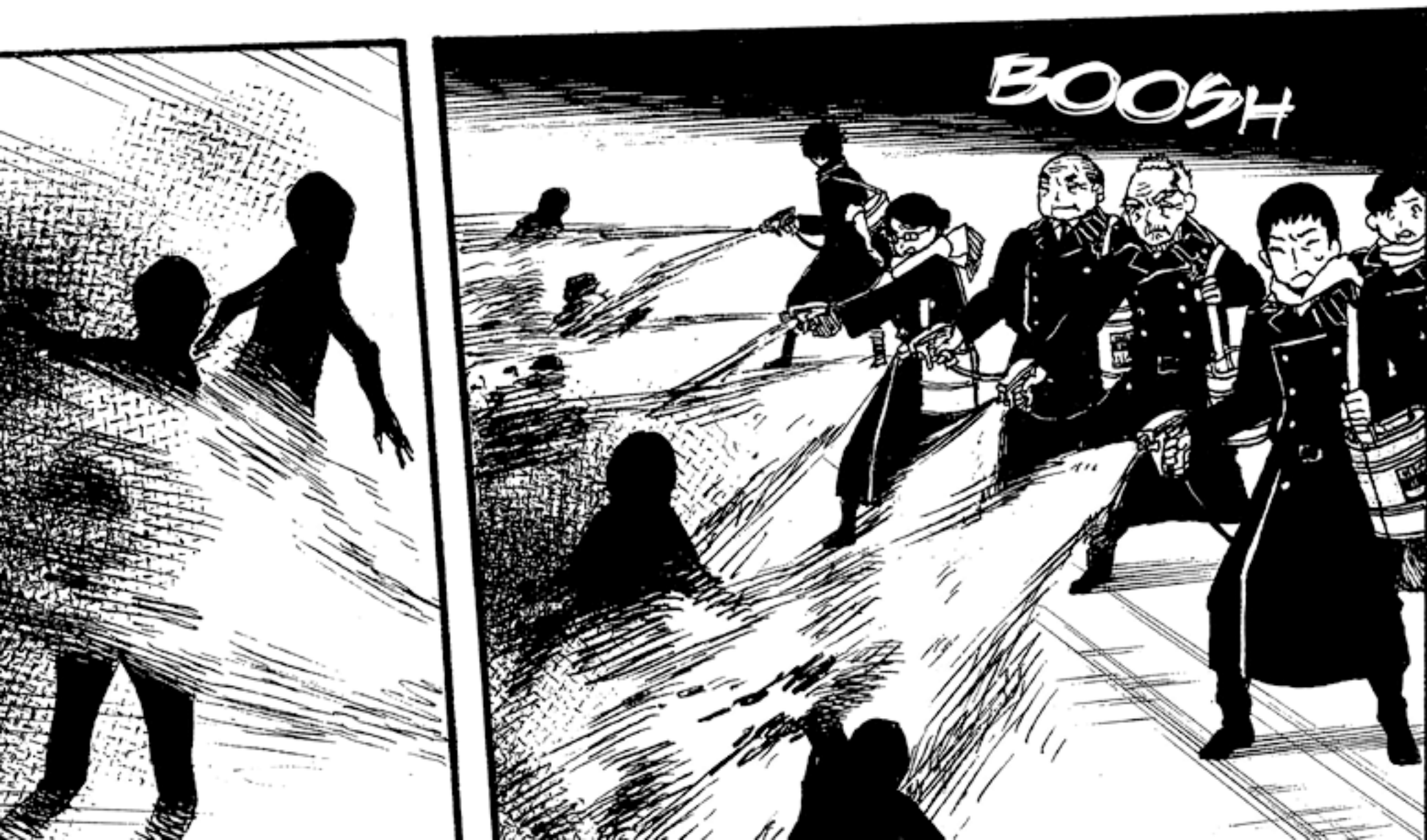
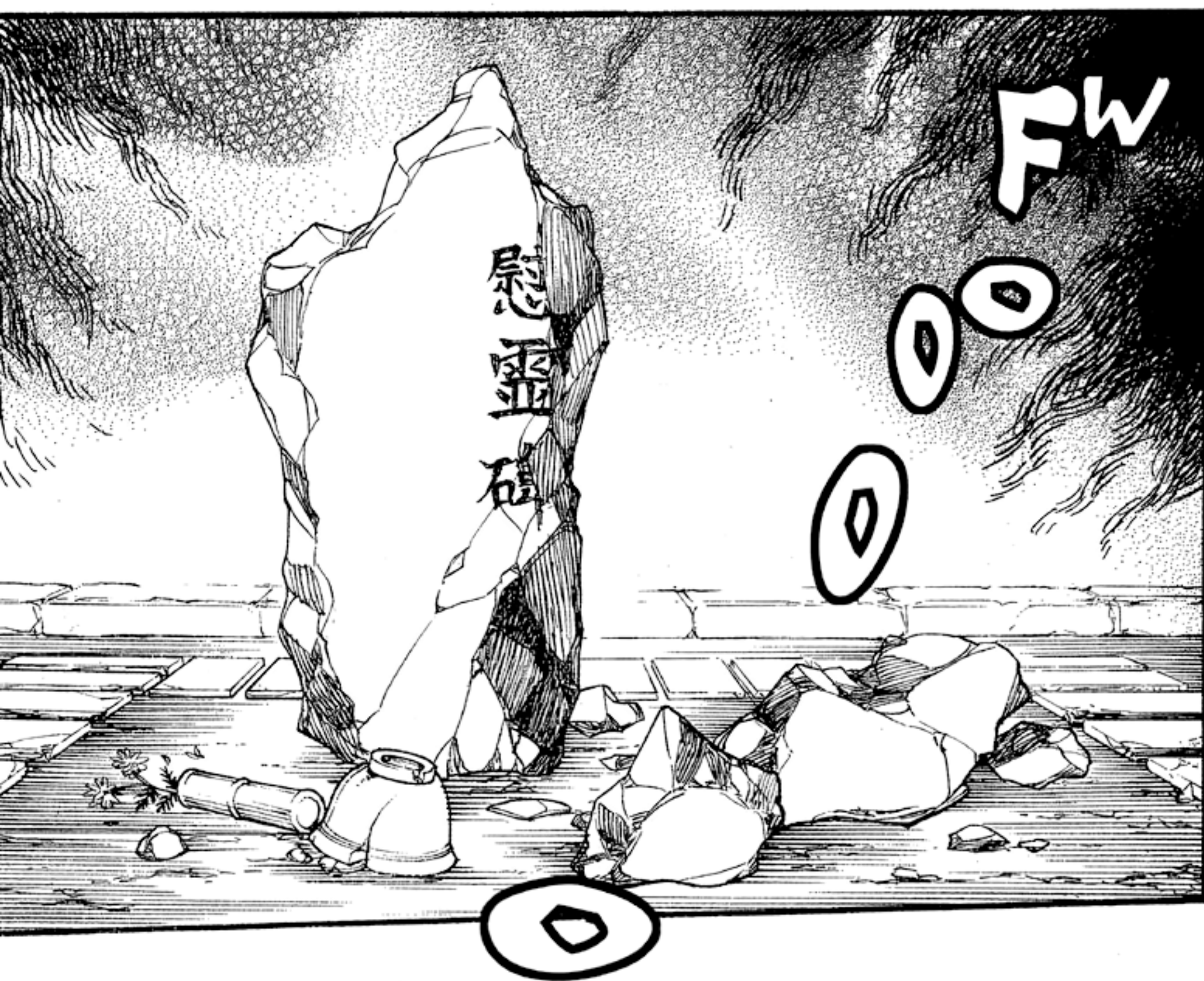
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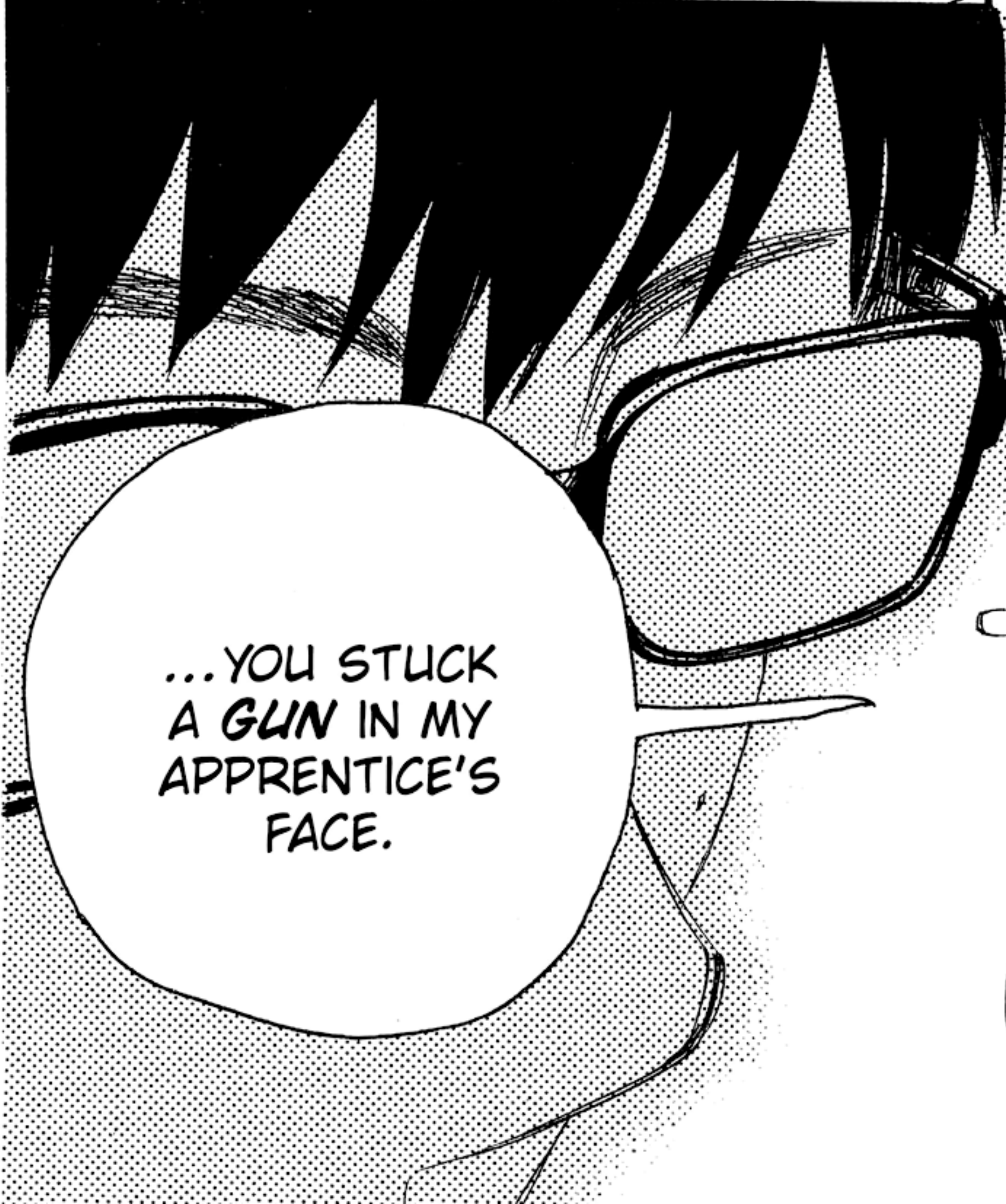
...NESS!!

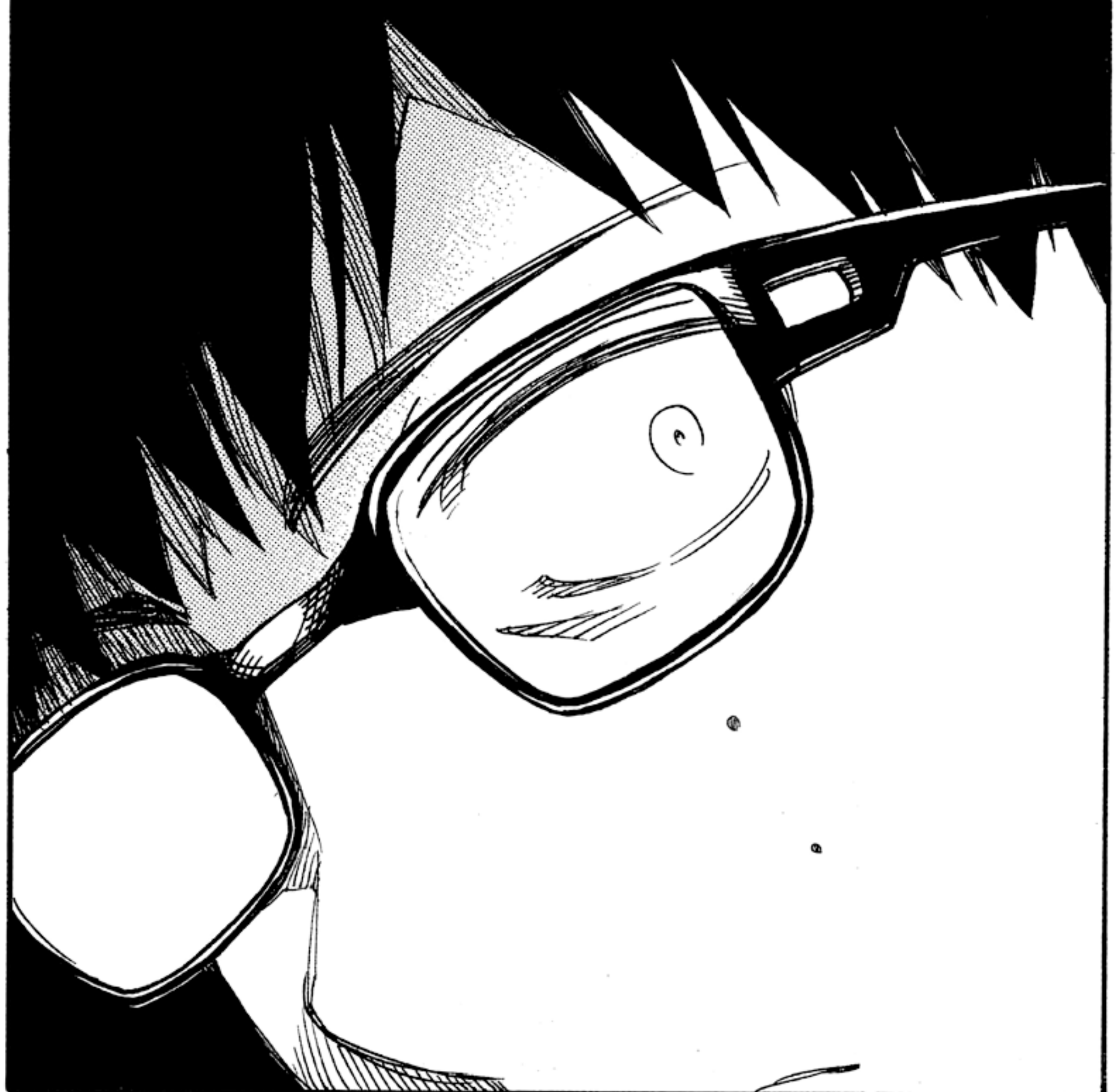




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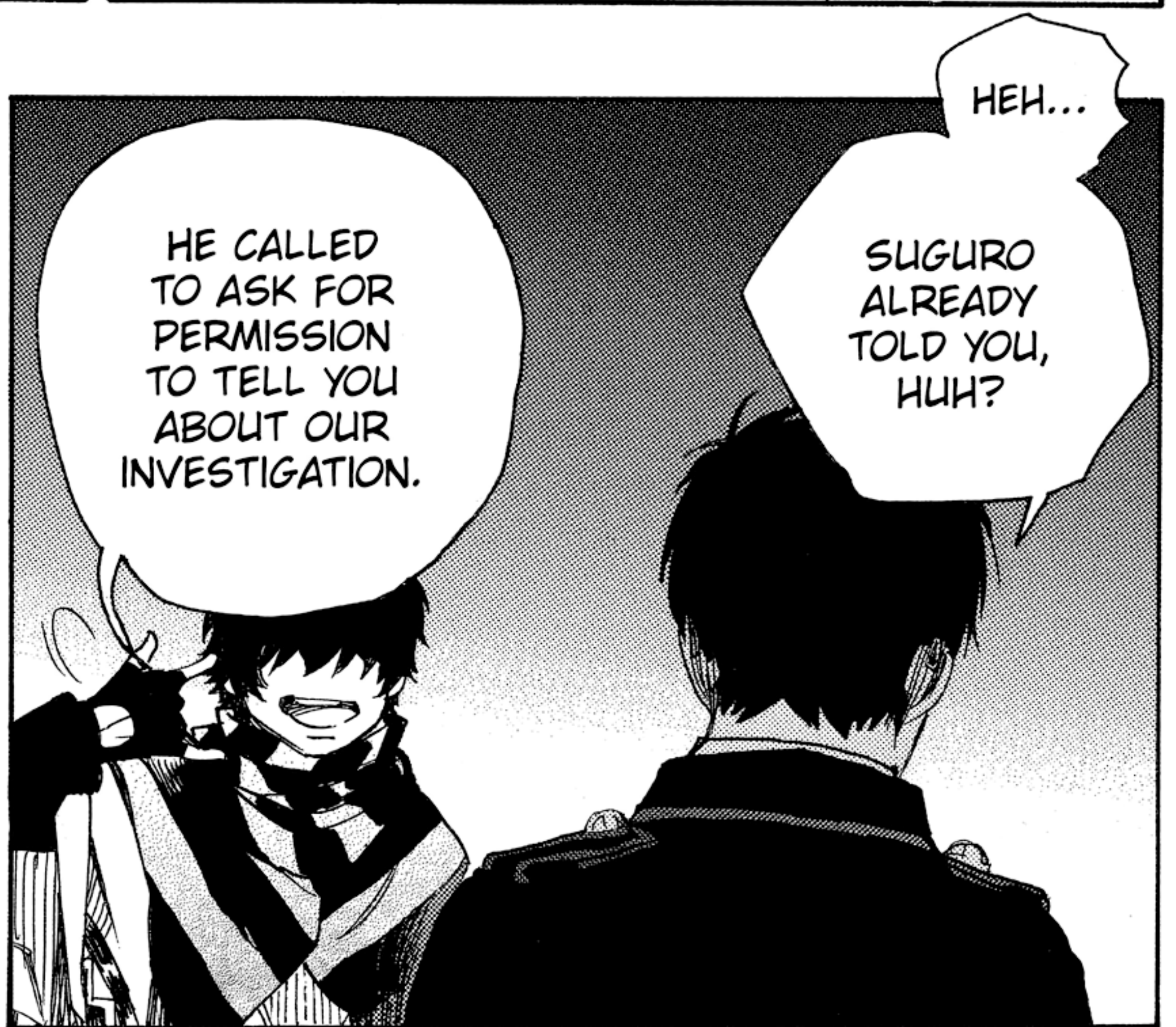






!!

OF COURSE, I SAID NO.



HEH...

HE CALLED TO ASK FOR PERMISSION TO TELL YOU ABOUT OUR INVESTIGATION.

SUGURO ALREADY TOLD YOU, HUH?



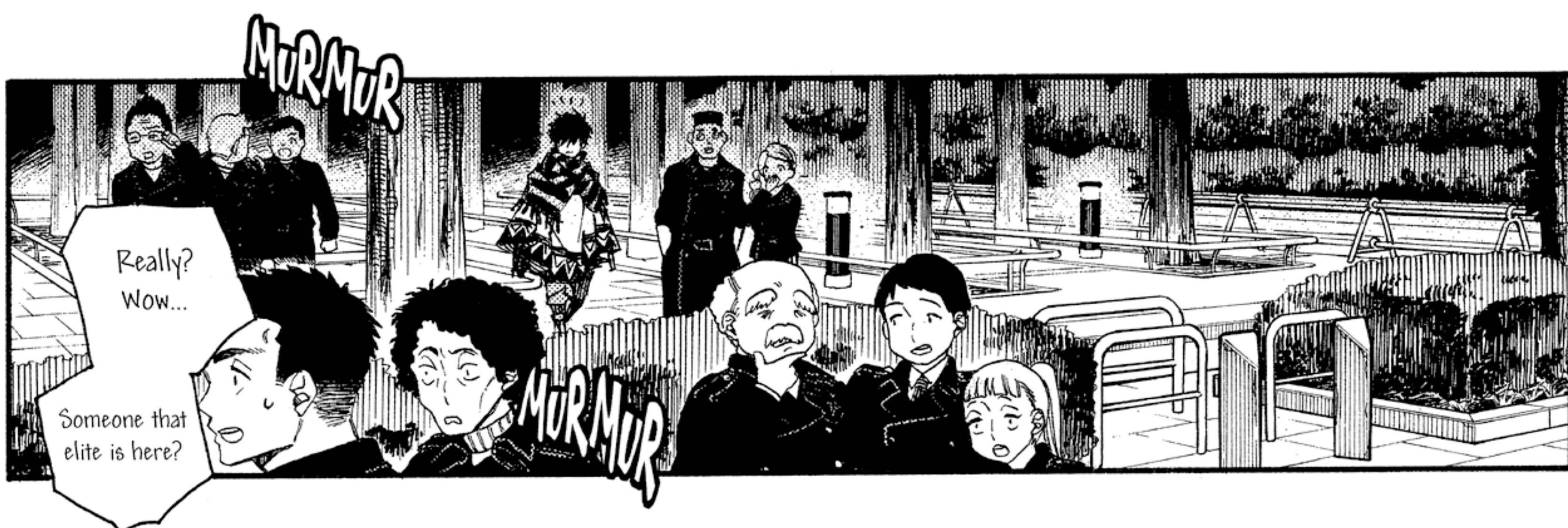
...

IF YOU WON'T TALK, THEN WHY SHOULD I?

WHAT DO YOU WANT TO KNOW SO BADLY?









...AND THE
ARCH
KNIGHT
OSCEOLA
REDARM!!

THE
ANGELIC
LEGION...

DID WE
REQUEST
SUPPORT
FROM THE
VATICAN?!

HUH? JUST
FOR GHOSTS
AND
SHADOWS?!



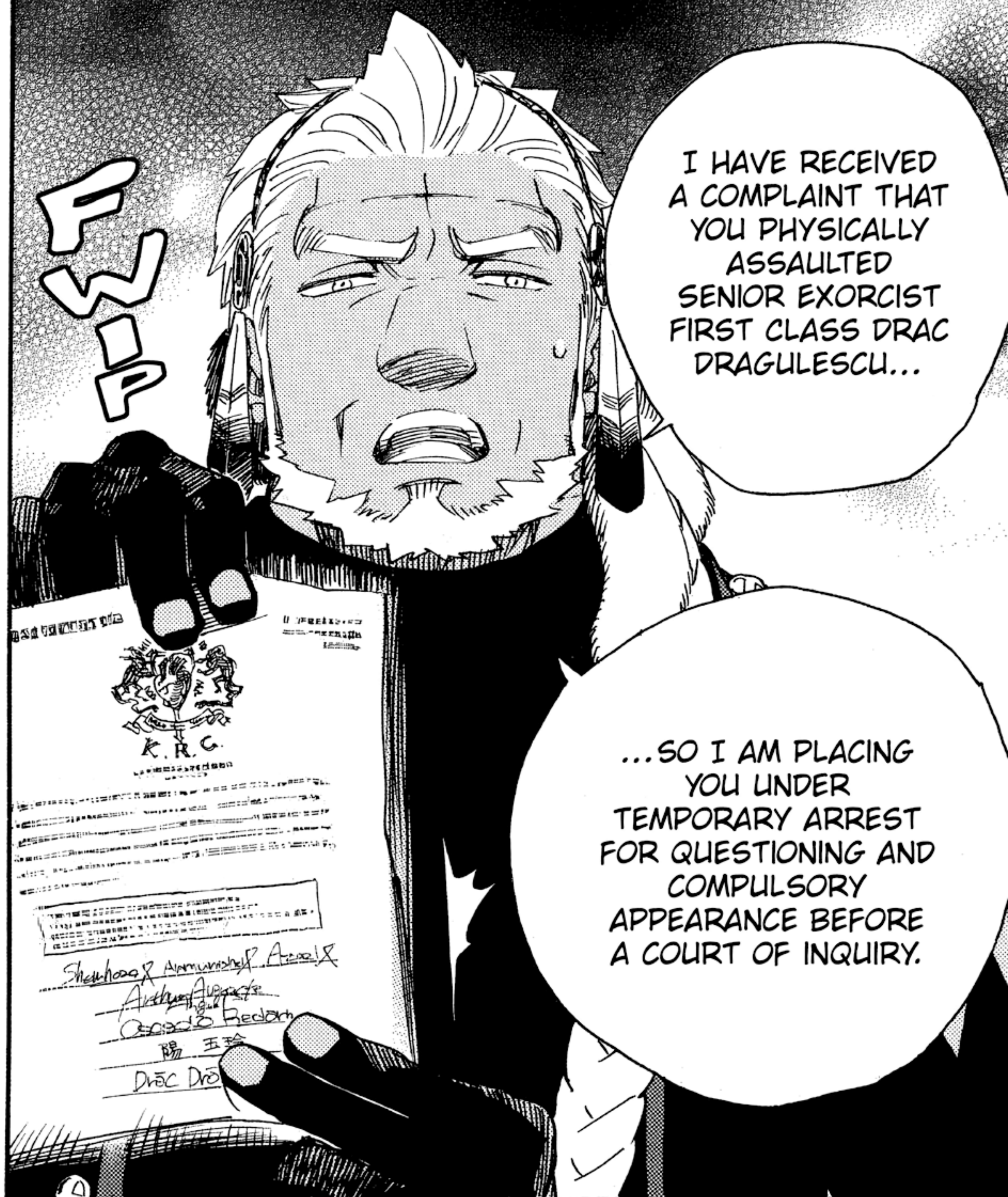
AW,
MAN...



LEWIN...

...THAT
WAS
FAST!

WHASSUP,
OSCEOLA?





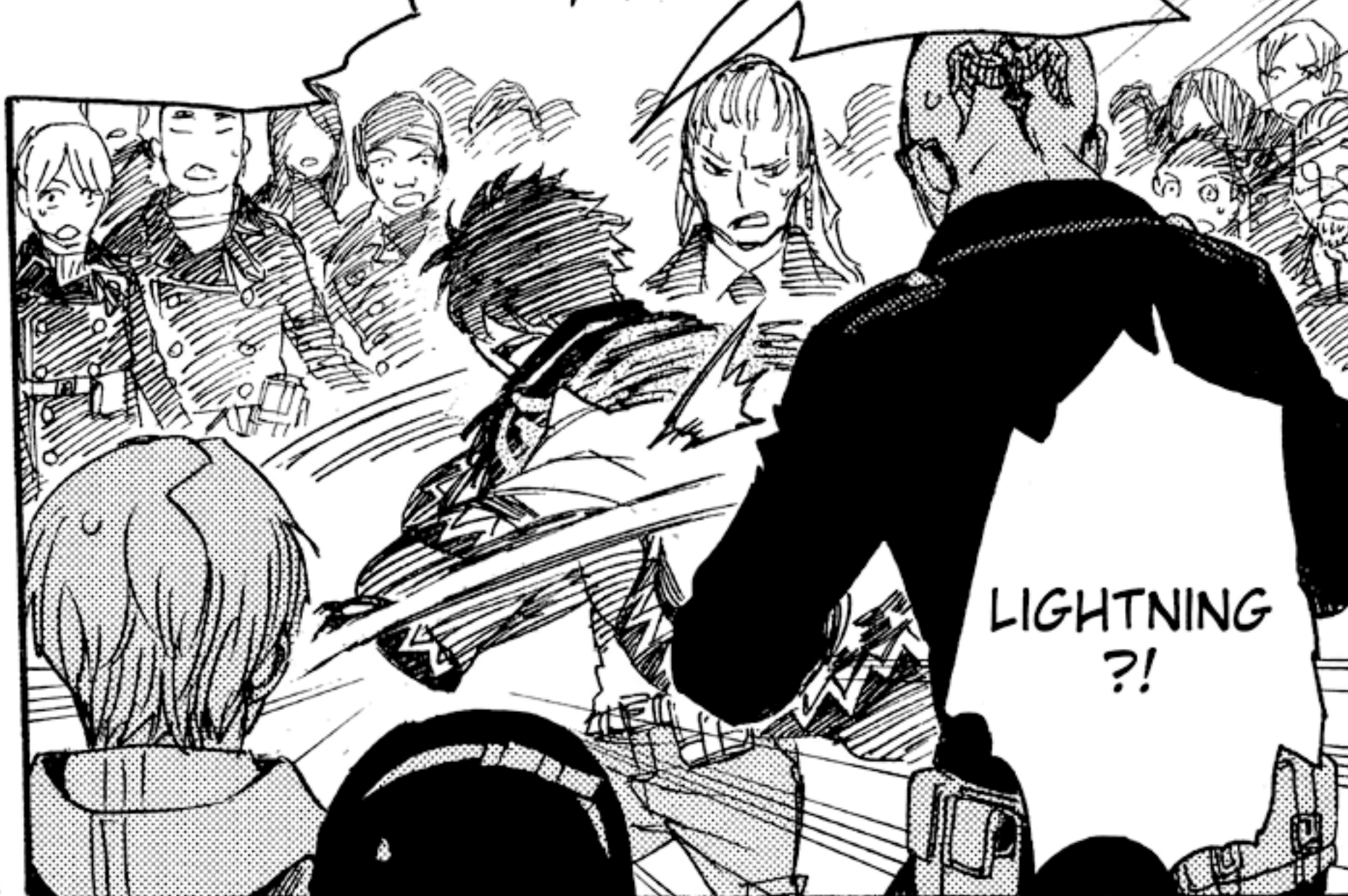
SOMEONE
HELP!!

...YOU'RE
NOT TAKING
ME IN!

BAM



PSST...



LIGHTNING
?!



HUH?!



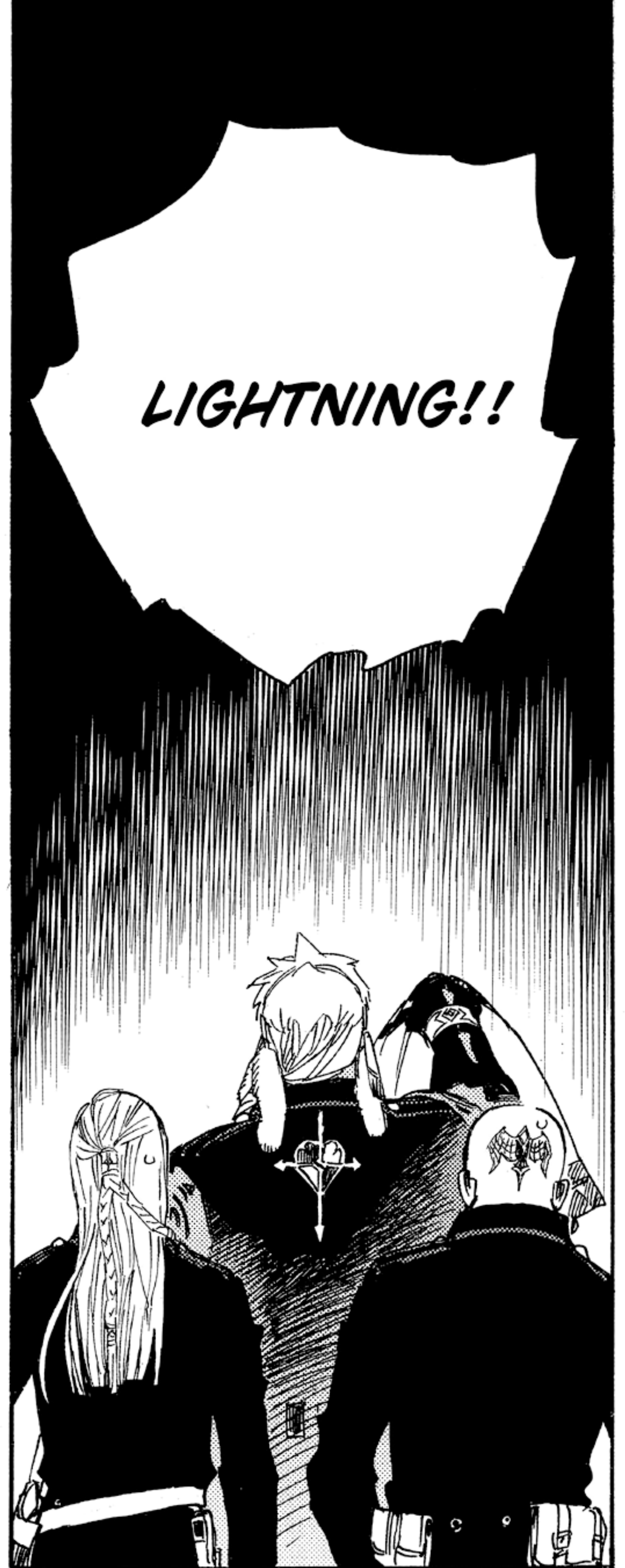
PSST

"I LOVE
SUSHI-
0147Aaa."

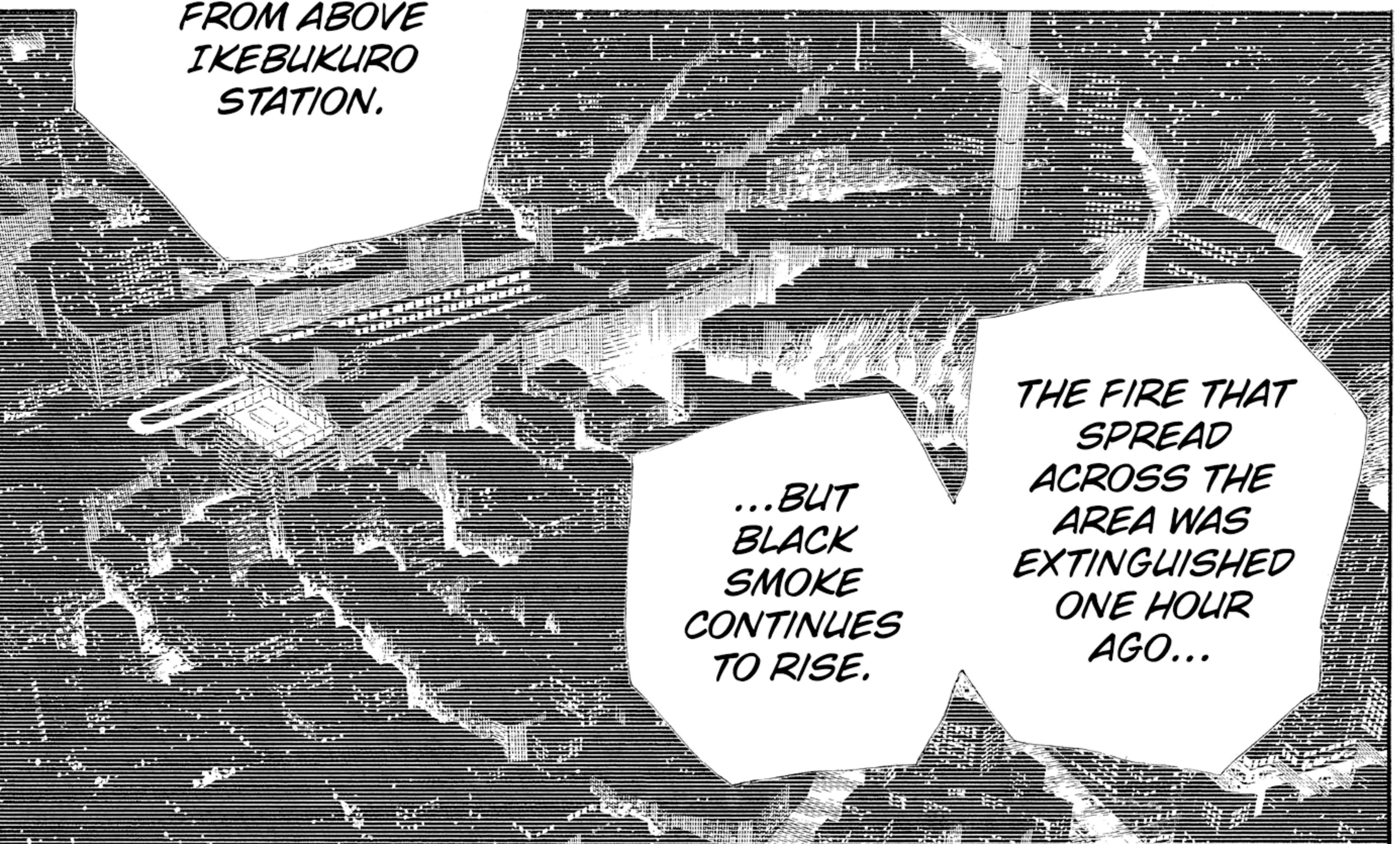




IT IS NOW
11:30 P.M. THESE
ARE LIVE IMAGES
FROM ABOVE
IKEBUKURO
STATION.

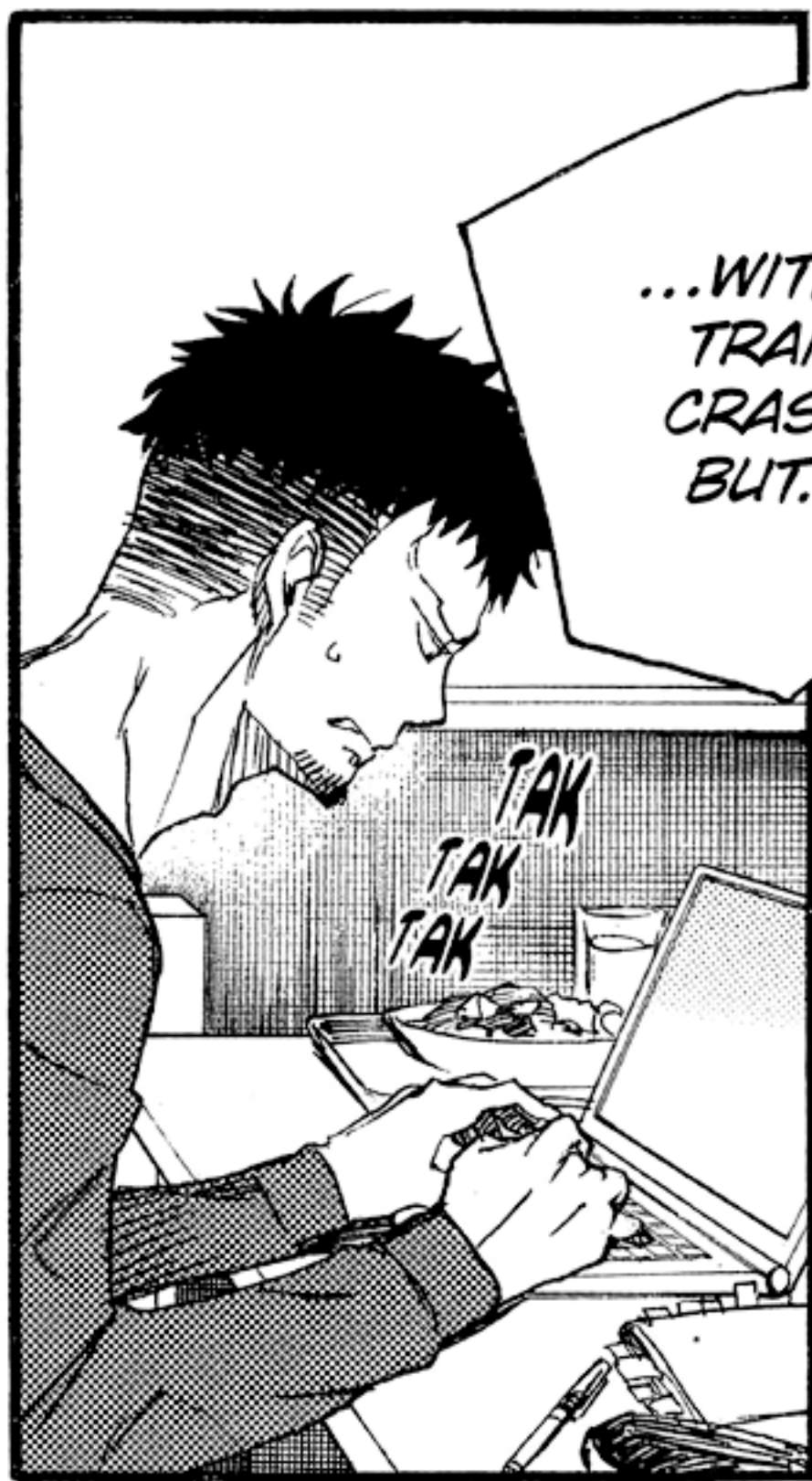


LIGHTNING!!



...BUT
BLACK
SMOKE
CONTINUES
TO RISE.

THE FIRE THAT
SPREAD
ACROSS THE
AREA WAS
EXTINGUISHED
ONE HOUR
AGO...



...WITH A
TRAIN
CRASH,
BUT...

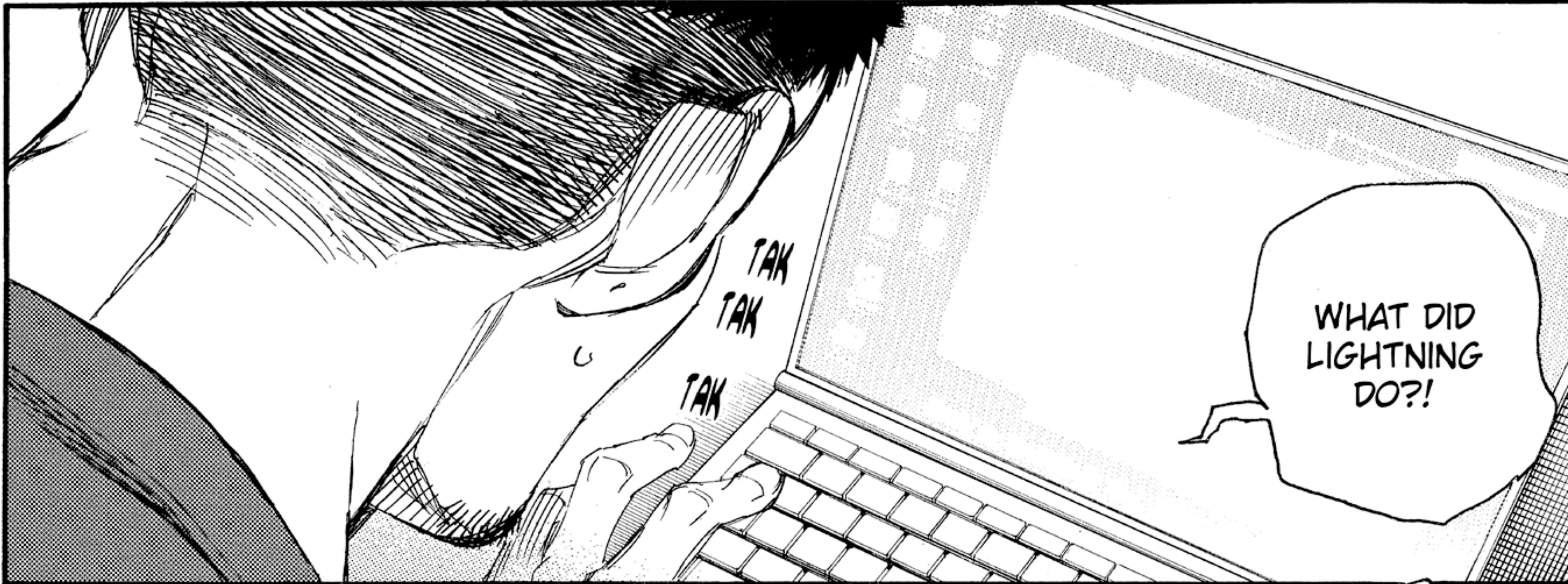
...SUPPOSEDLY
IT STARTED...

YES...

THE
AUTHORITIES
STILL HAVEN'T
ISSUED A
STATEMENT...

...ON THE
NUMBER OF
CASUALTIES OR
THE EXTENT OF
THE DAMAGE.

AND THERE
ARE REPORTS
OF PANIC.



WHAT DID
LIGHTNING
DO?!



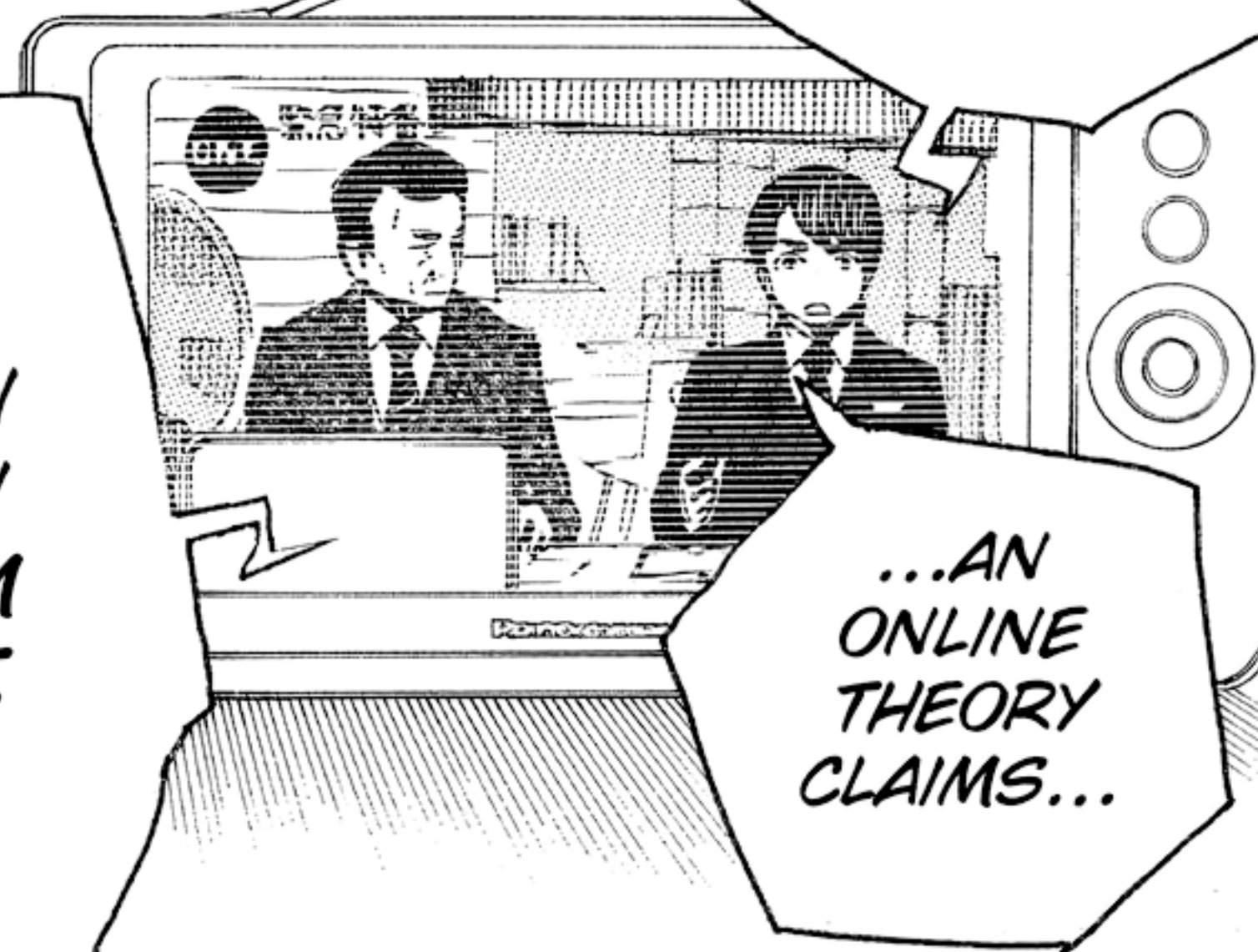
WHERE'S
BON?

...THAT AN
UNKNOWN
LIFE-FORM
CAUSED IT.



SNIF
SNIF

...AS WELL
AS
TERRORISM
OR A
UTILITIES
EXPLOSION...



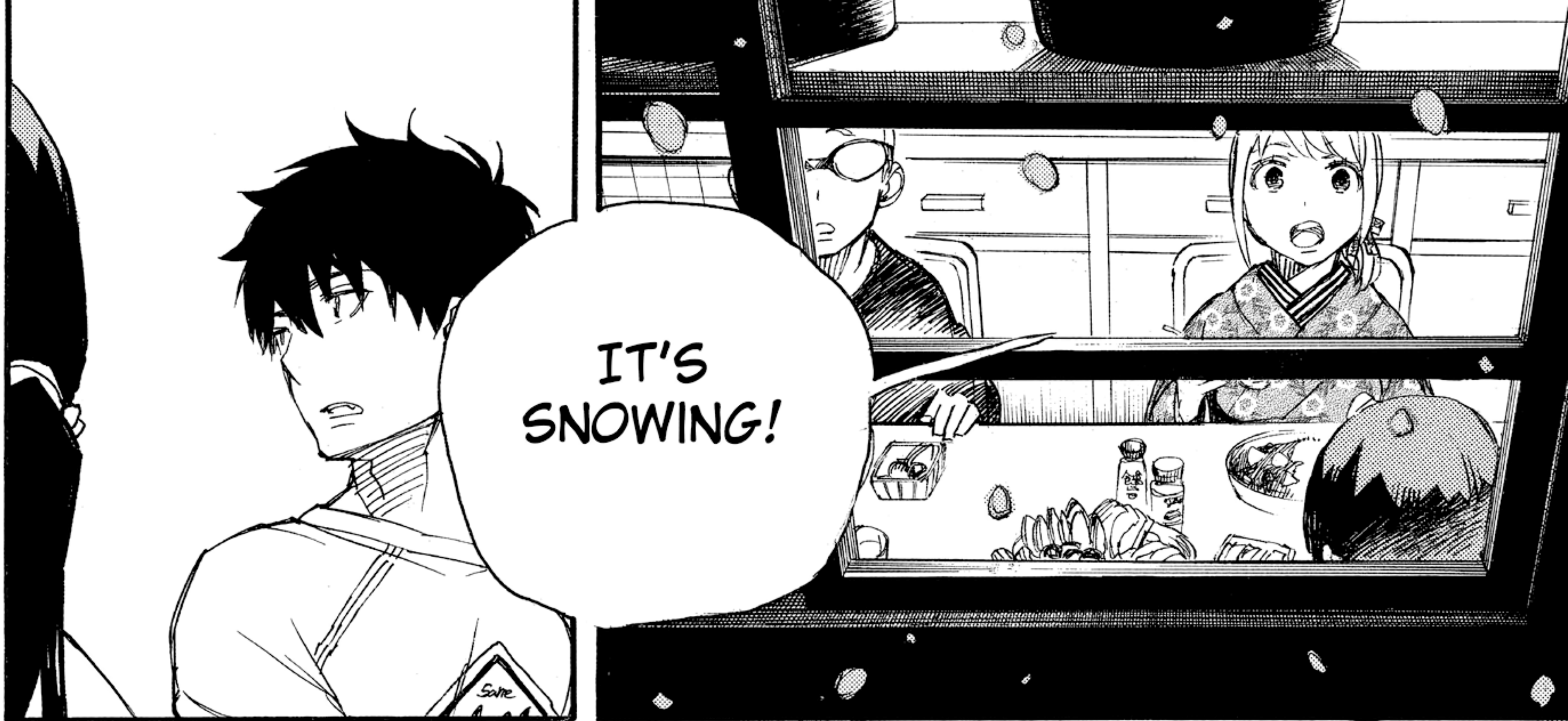
...AN
ONLINE
THEORY
CLAIMS...



THAT'S NO SURPRISE.

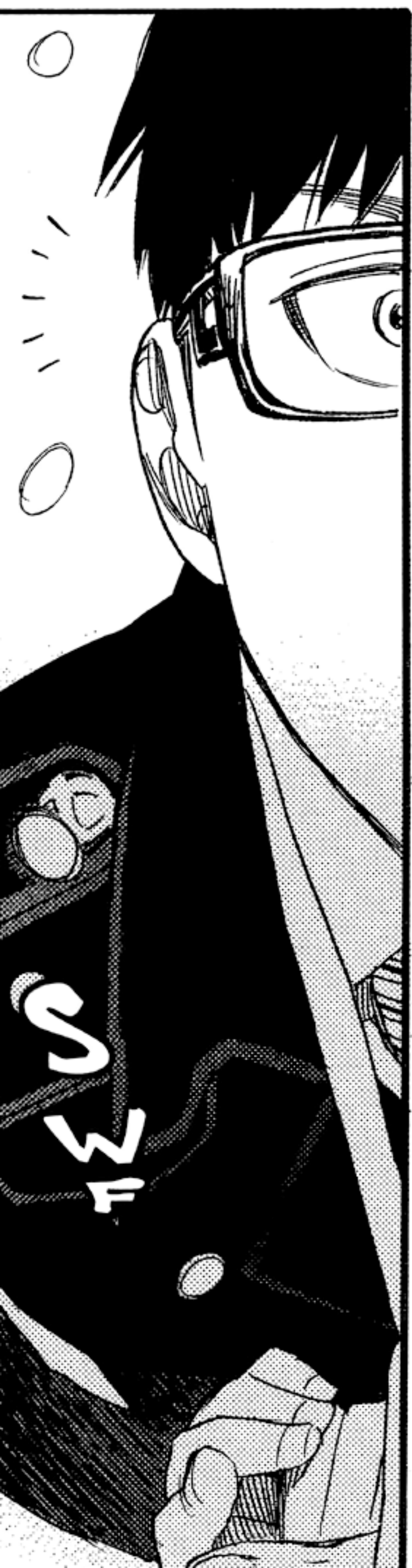
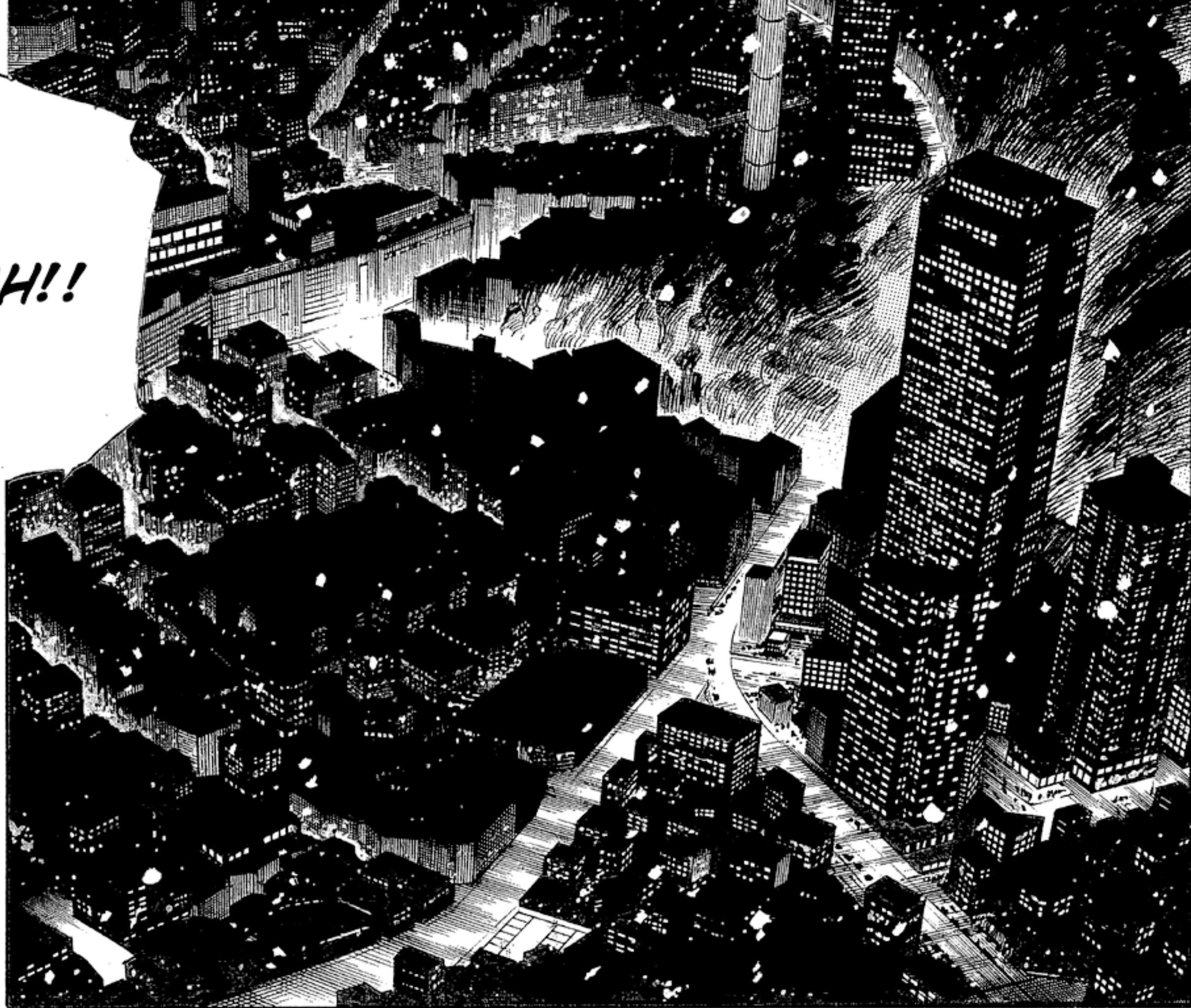
YUKI AND SHIMA ARE OUT LATE.

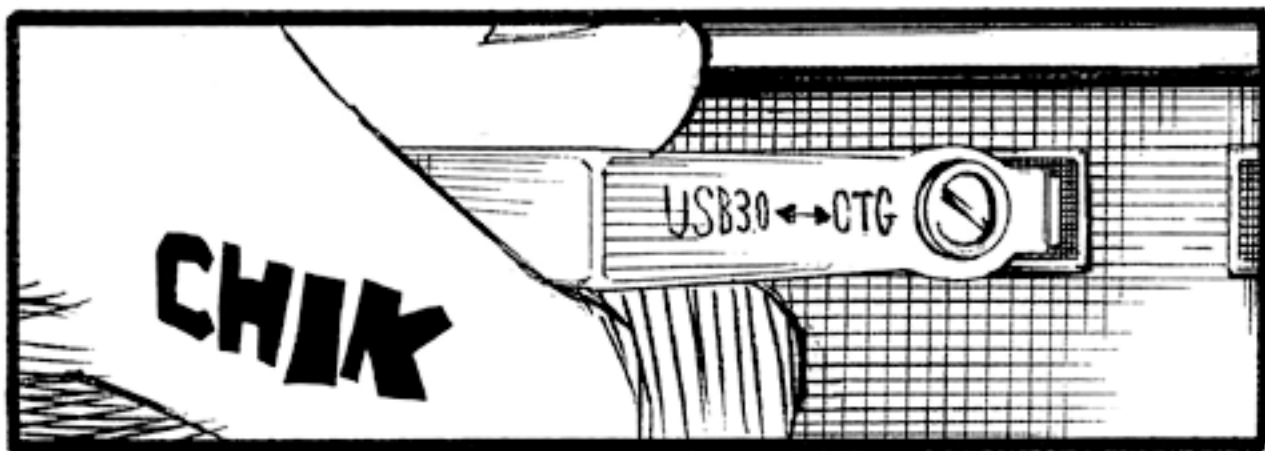
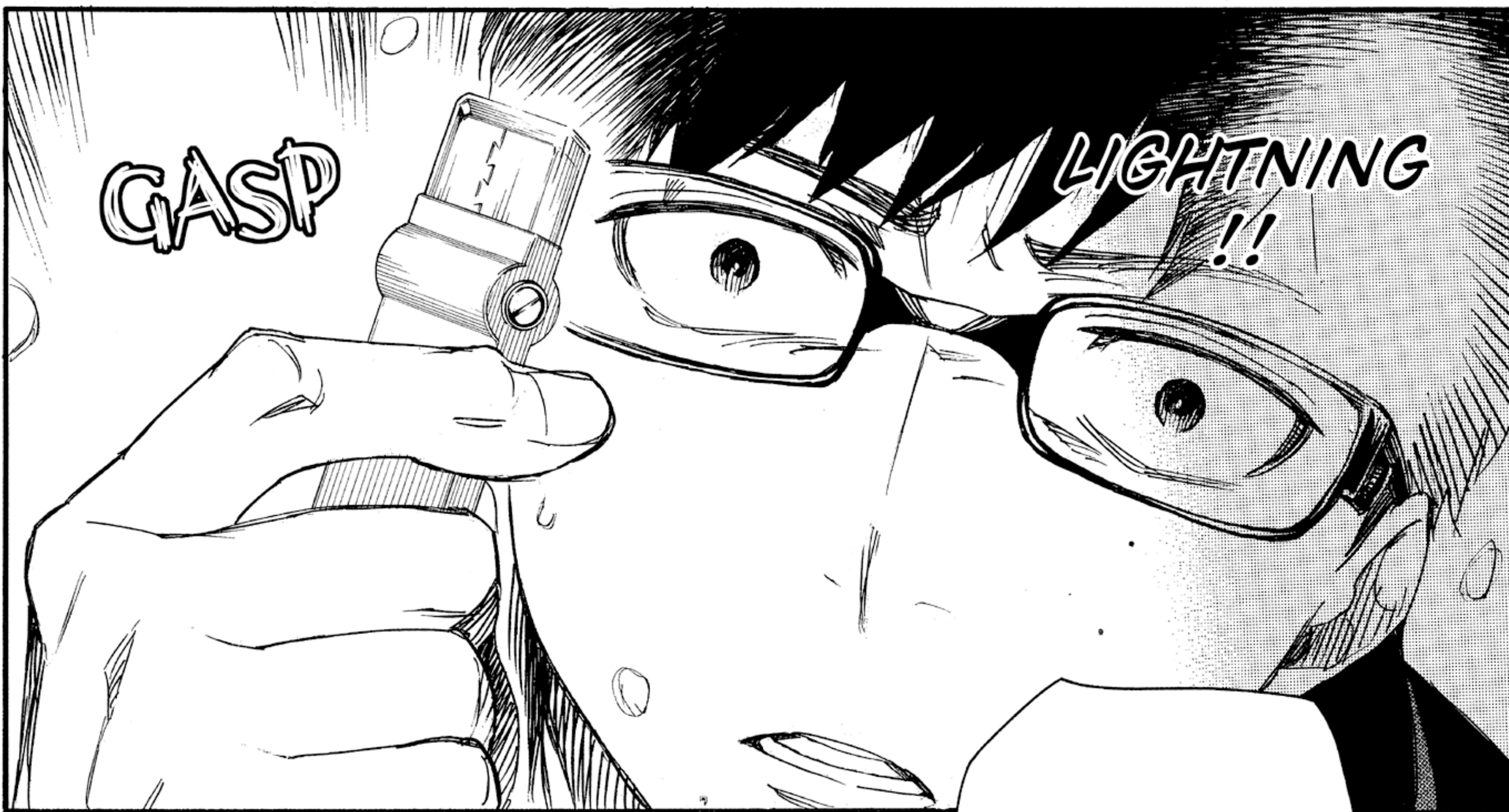






SWITCH!!





VW

X

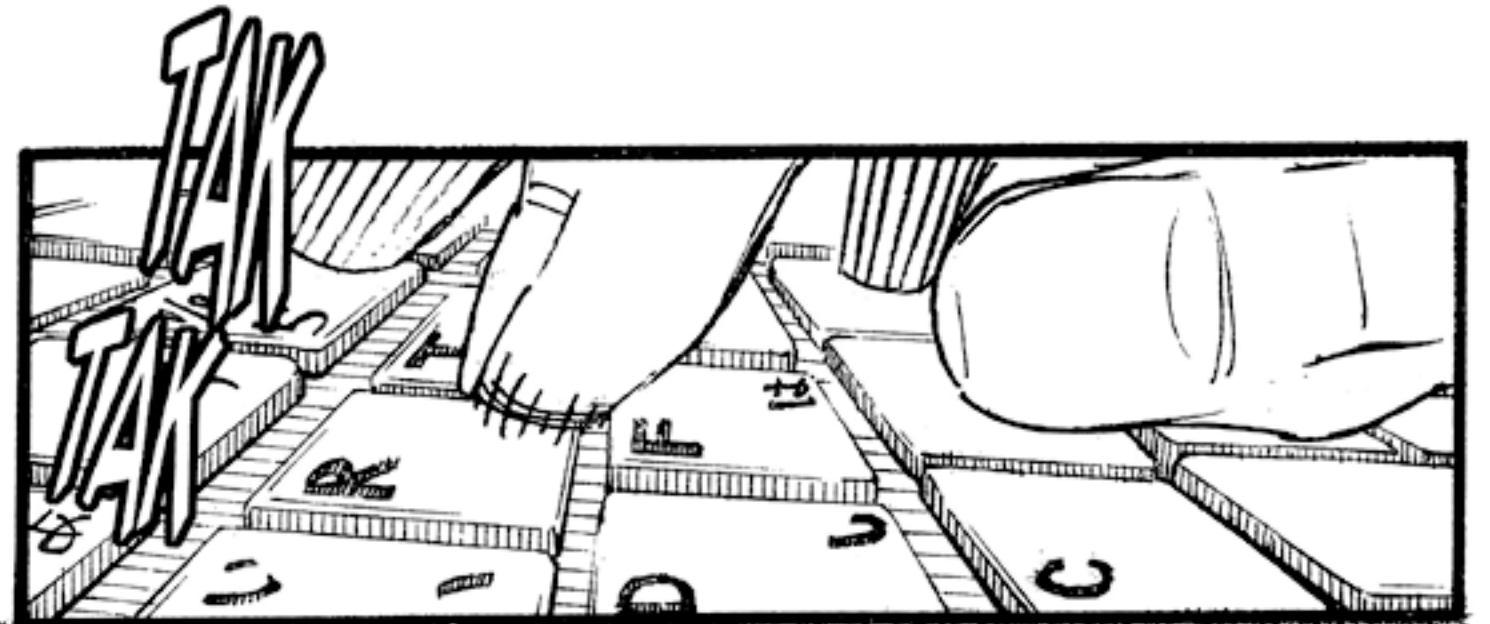
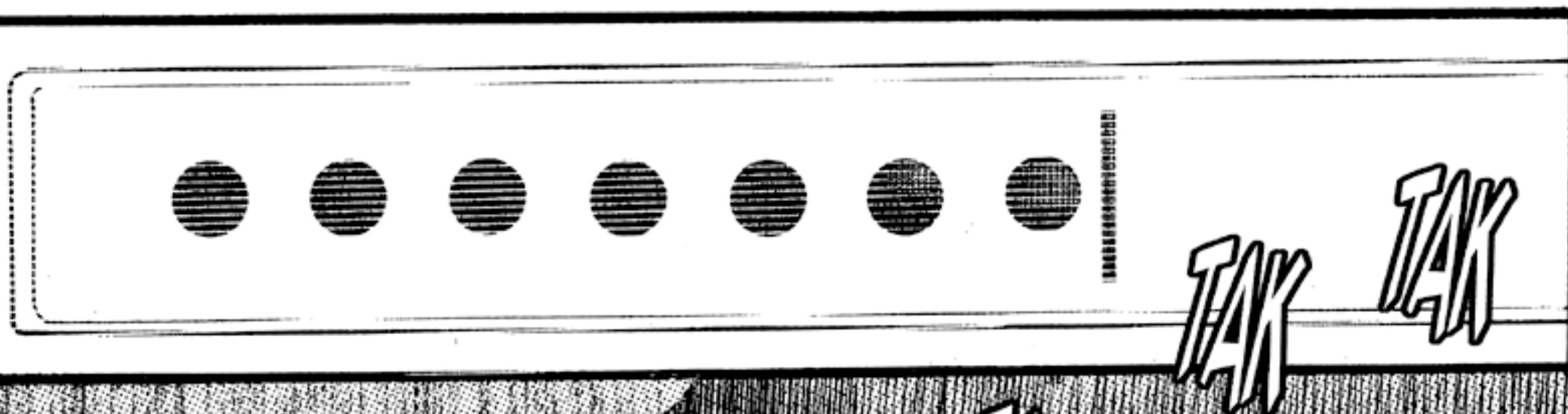
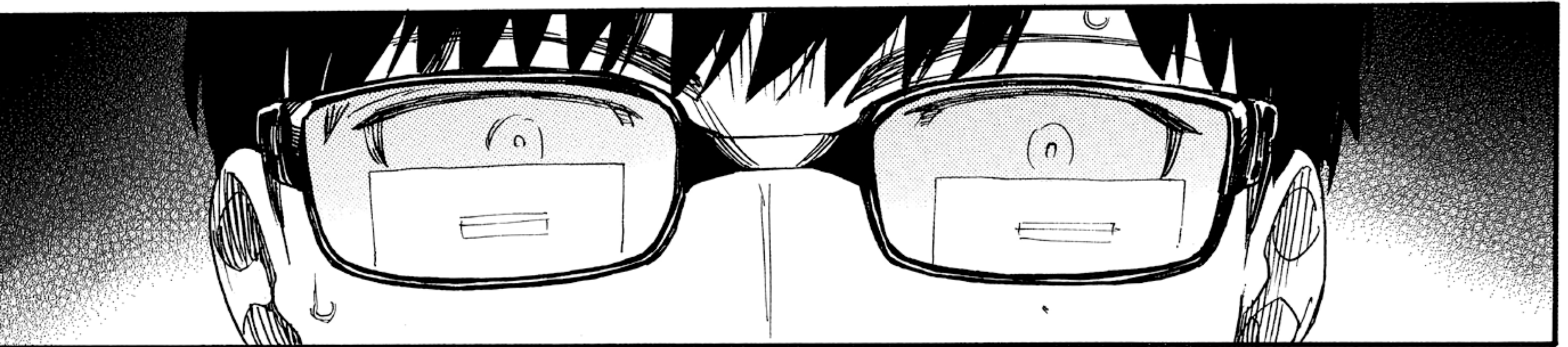
Log in

password

CLICK ME

Submit

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WHAT
IS
THIS?!

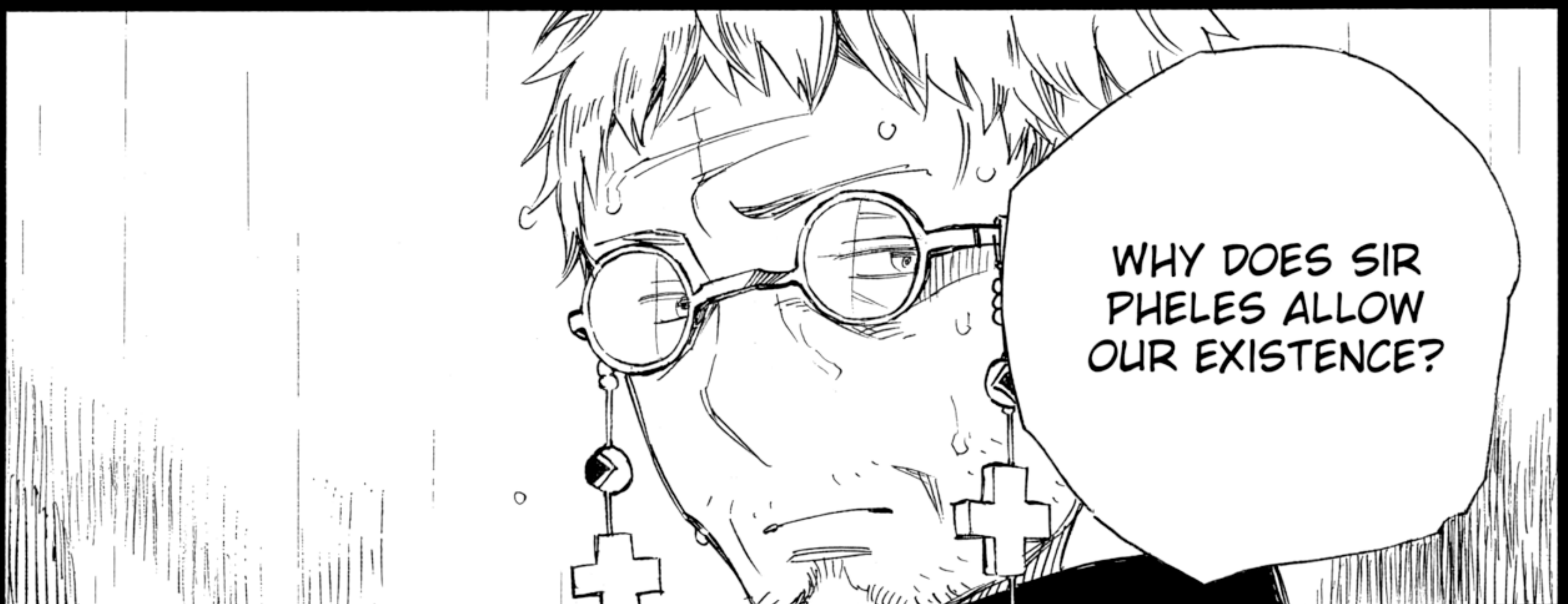


BLUE EXORCIST CHAPTER 92: BEYOND THE SNOW, PART 1



CHAPTER 93: BEYOND THE SNOW, PART 2

WHY ARE YOU
RAISING US,
FATHER?



WHY DOES SIR
PHELES ALLOW
OUR EXISTENCE?

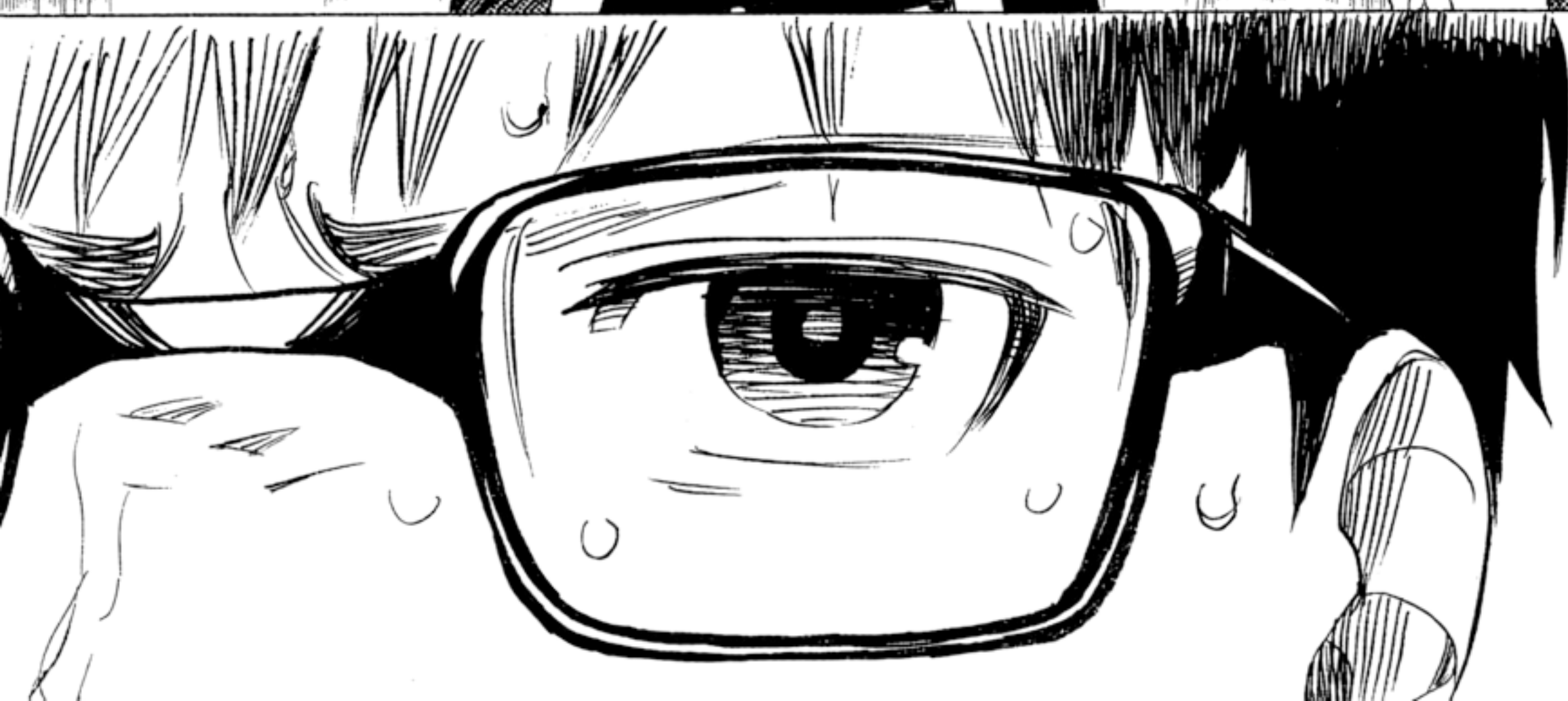


NOT
NOW?

I
WON'T LIE
TO YOU...

SO YOU *WILL*
TELL ME
SOMETIME?

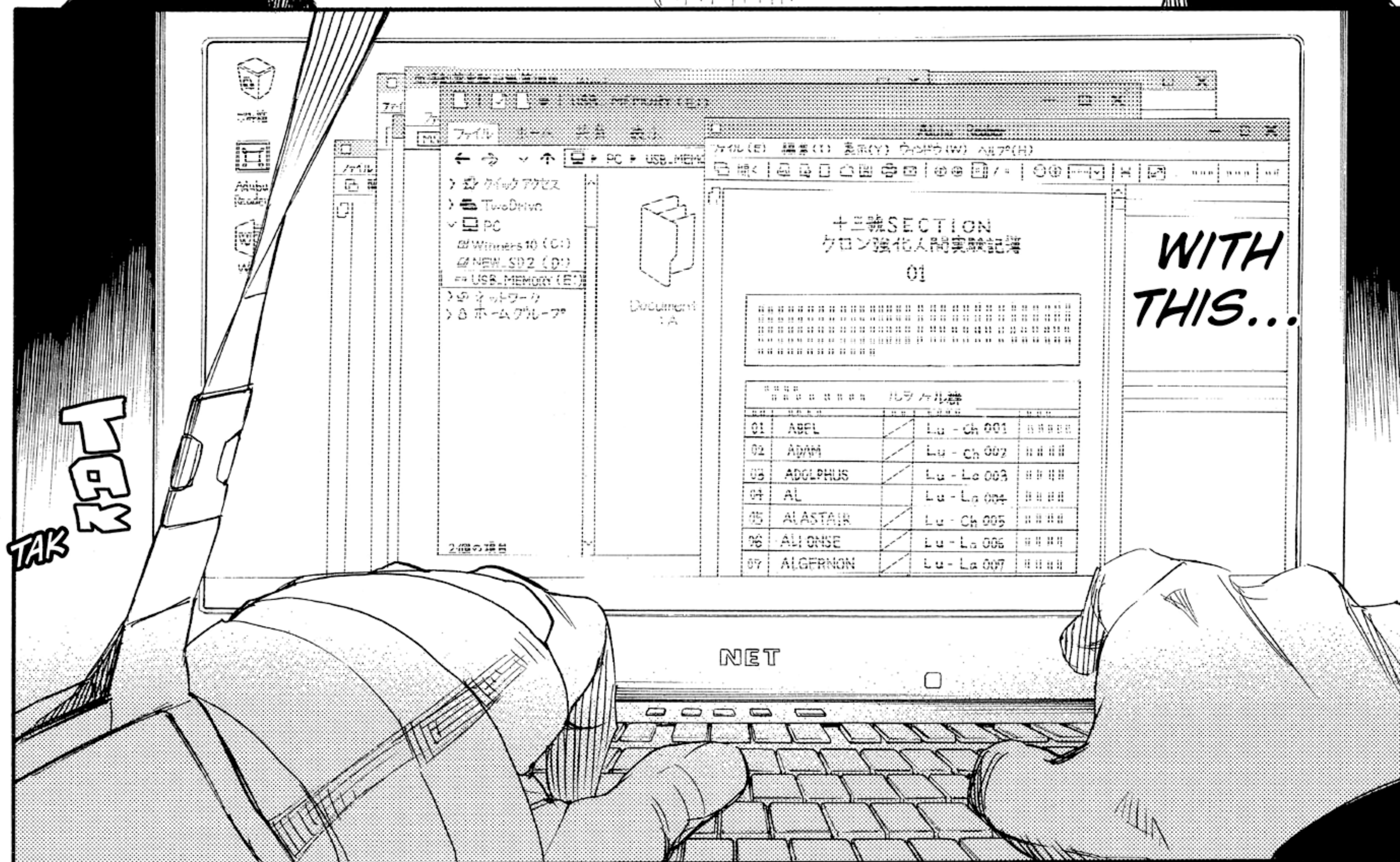
...BUT I
CAN'T TALK
RIGHT NOW.



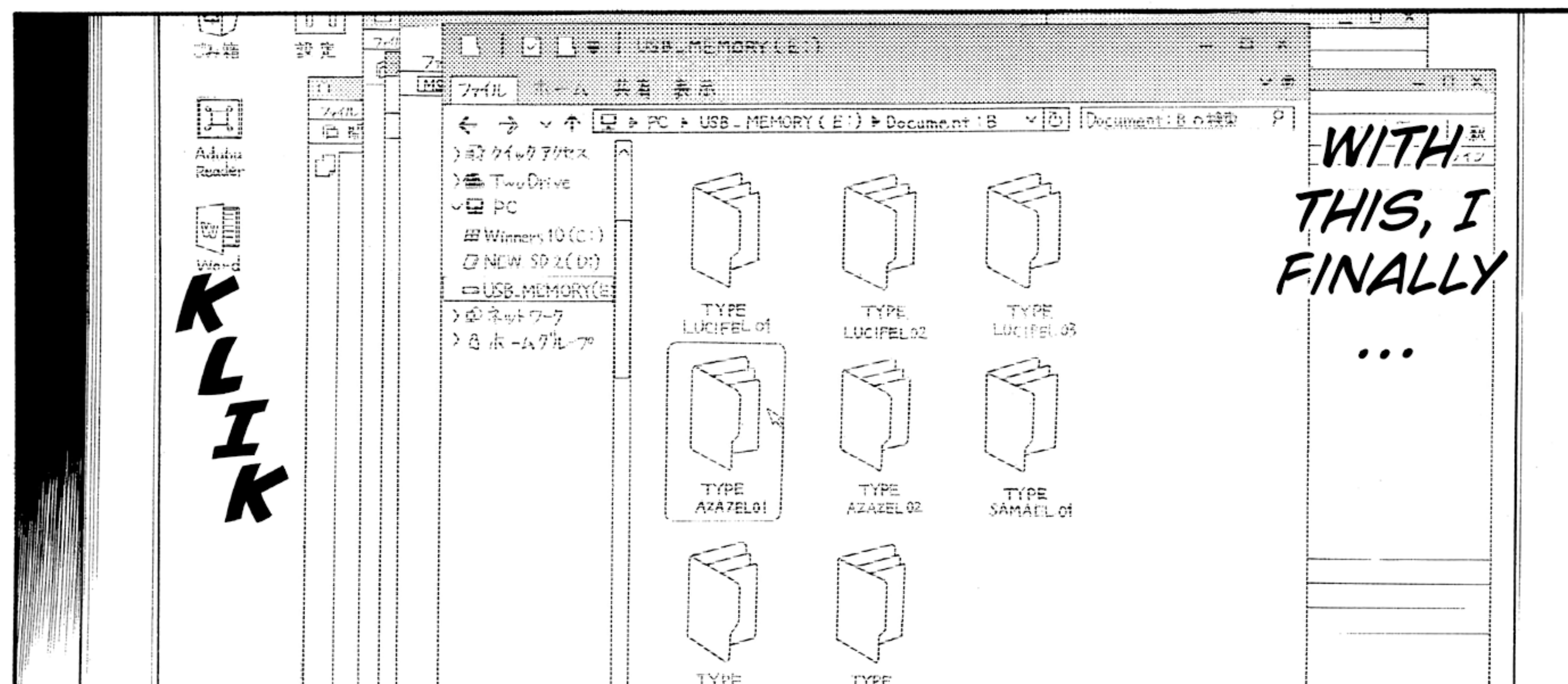
YOU'LL
KNOW WHEN
THE TIME
COMES.



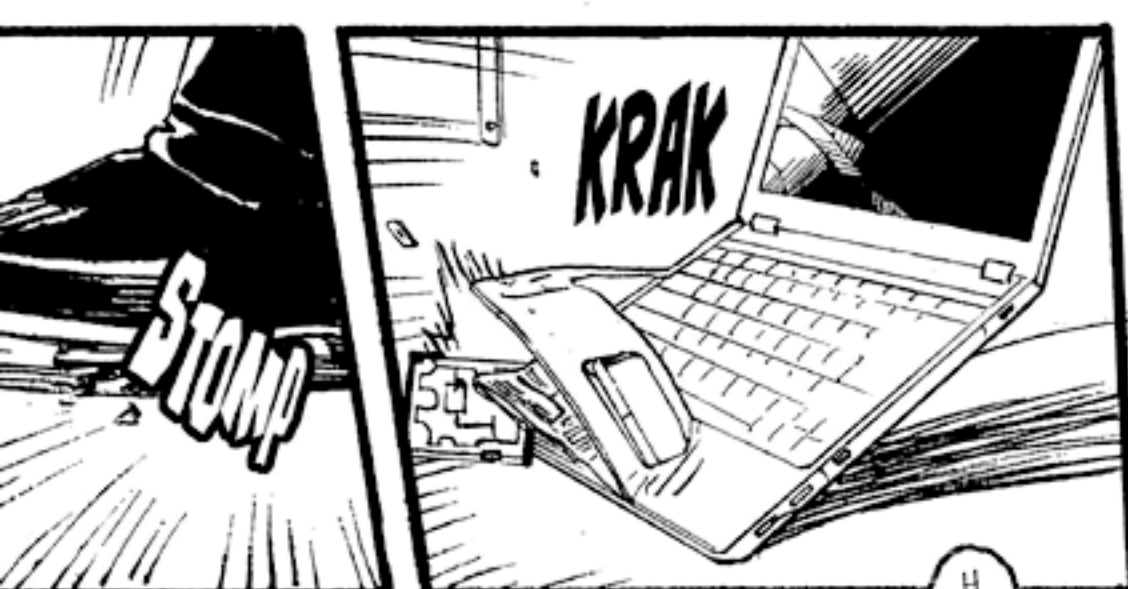
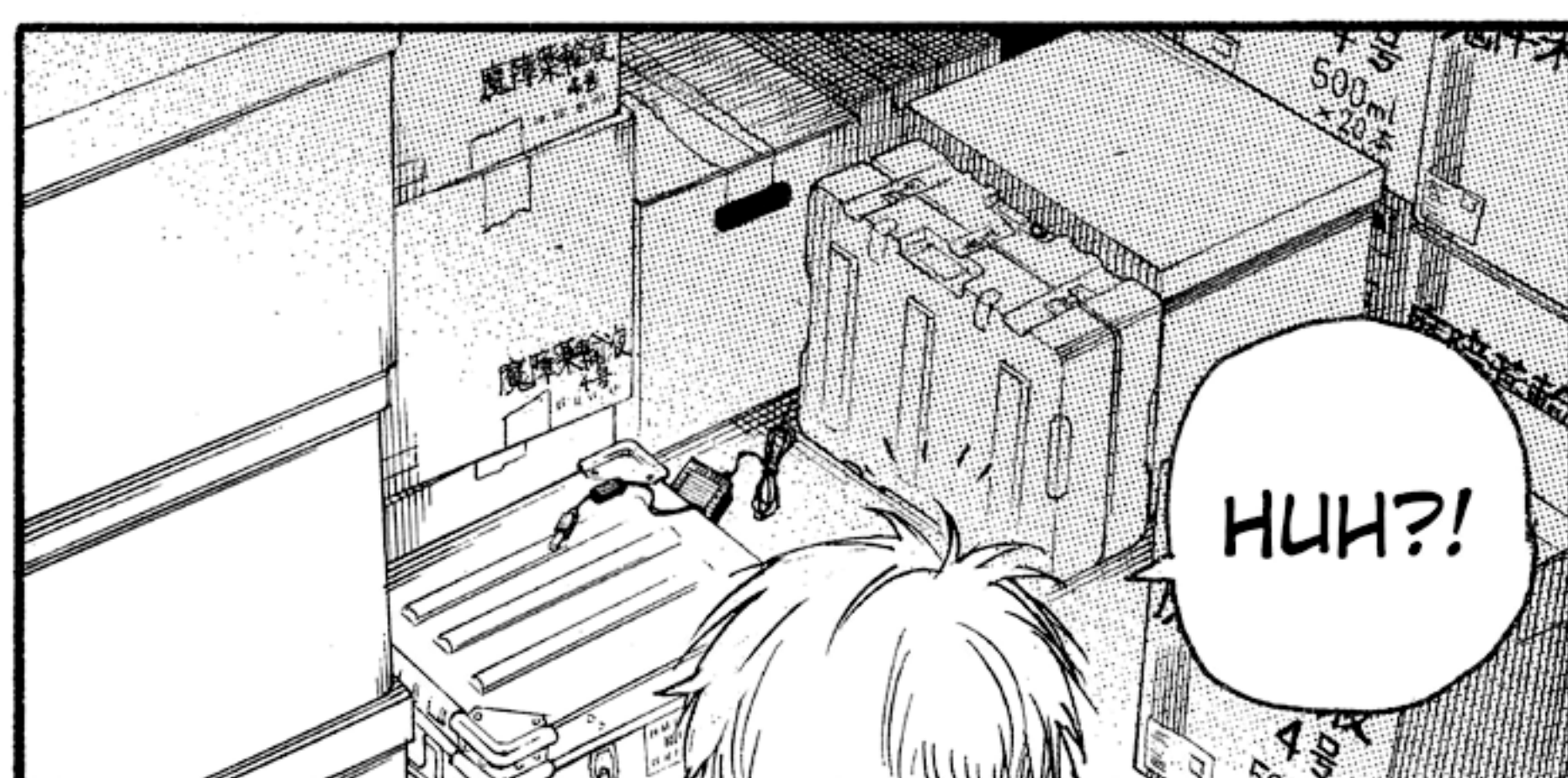
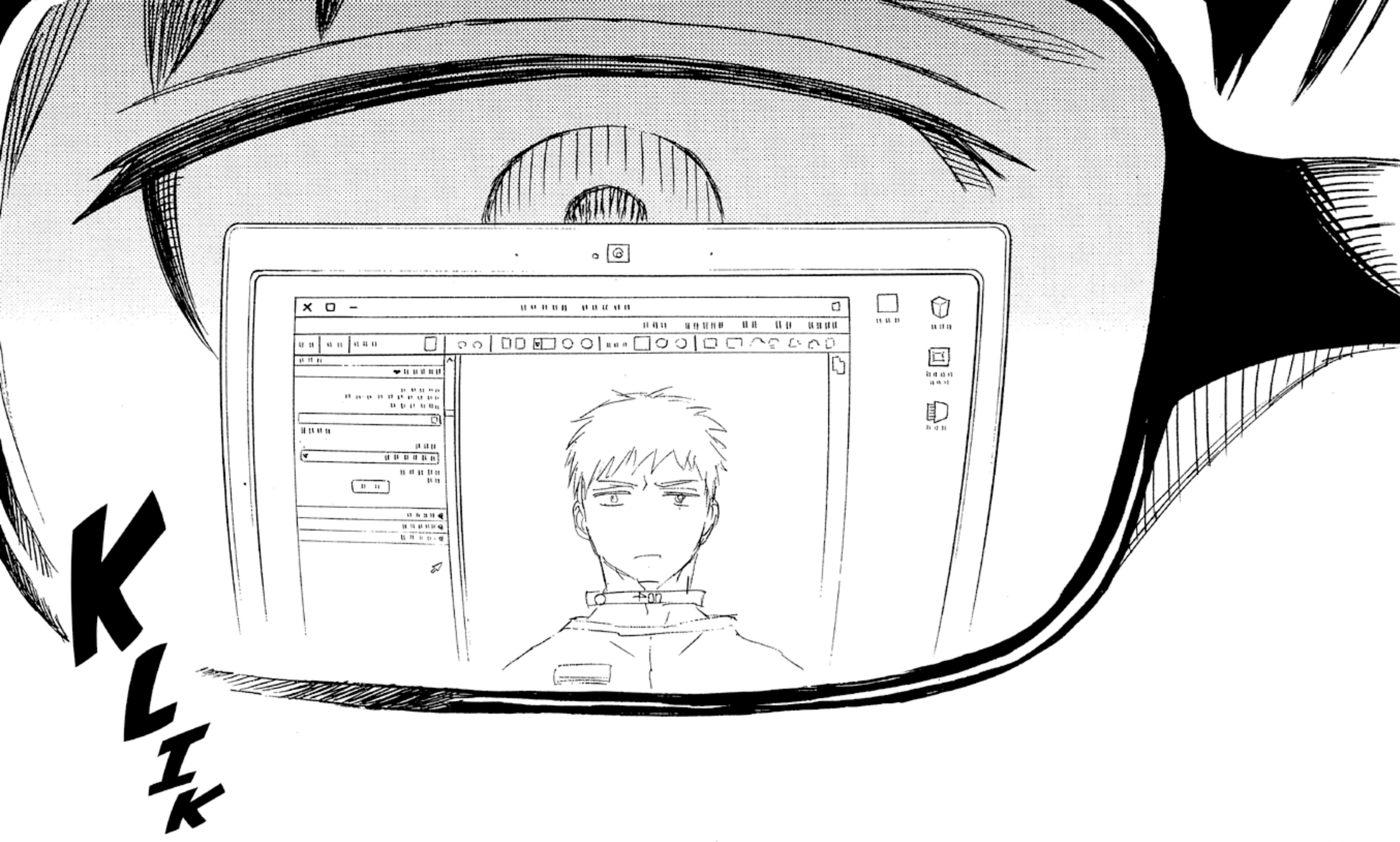
AND
THAT
TIME IS
NOW?



WITH
THIS...

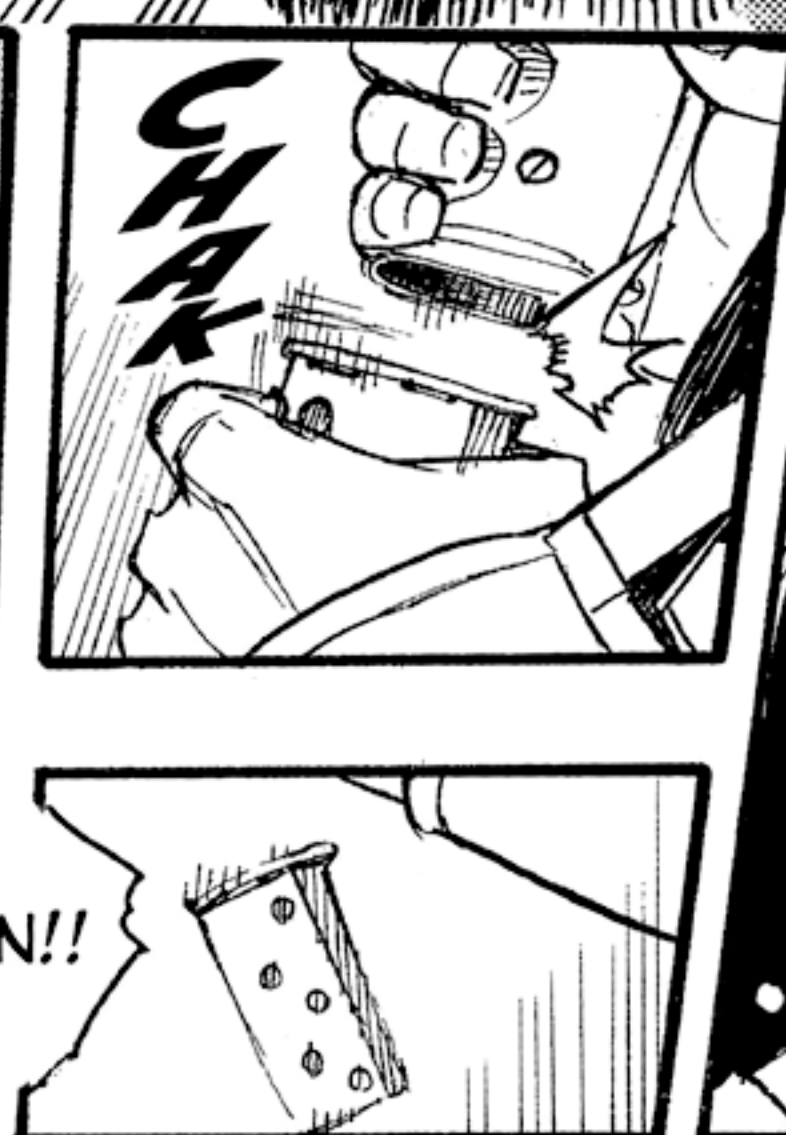


WITH
THIS, I
FINALLY
...



...I NEVER
LEARNED THE
SECRET
BEHIND OUR
BIRTH.

IN THE
END...



DAMN!!

...OR
ANYTHING
ABOUT THE
CORE OF THE
MATTER.

NOT ABOUT
OUR MOTHER
YURI, EGIN OR
SATAN...



WHAT I
DID
LEARN...



TO SAVE
HUMANITY,
THEY WOULD
SACRIFICE IT!

THEIR
PRIORITIES
ARE ALL
WRONG!



...IS THAT THE
KNIGHTS OF THE
TRUE CROSS ARE
AS BAD AS THE
ILLUMINATI!



EVEN
WORSE...



MOVE TO
THE REAR!

ARE
YOU ALL
RIGHT?!

YOU CAN'T
FIGHT WITH
THAT ARM!



WHAT...

...AND
WHAT IS
EVIL?

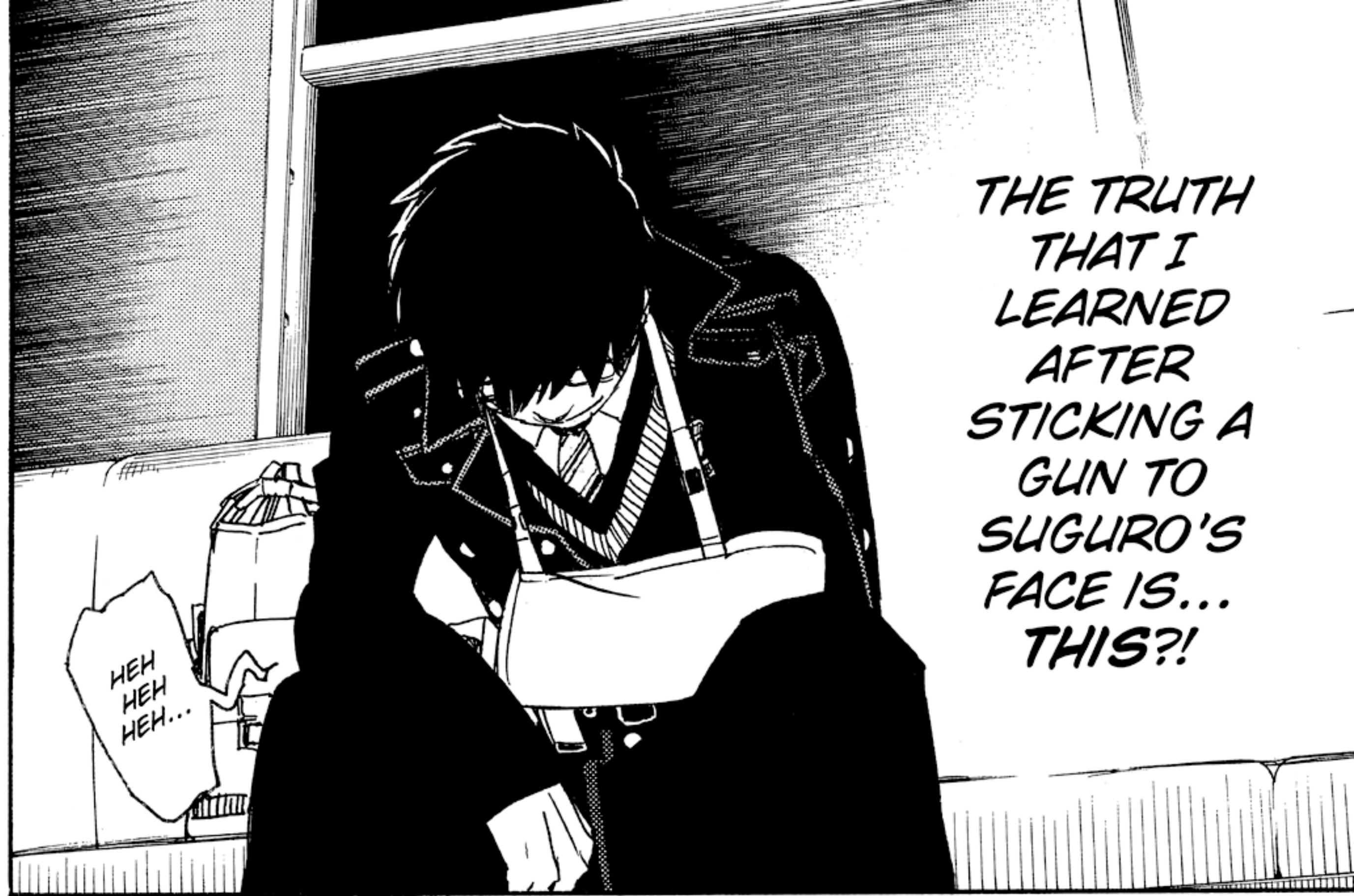
...IS
GOOD...

...IS FATHER
FUJIMOTO
!!!!





I'M
TIRED.



THE TRUTH
THAT I
LEARNED
AFTER
STICKING A
GUN TO
SUGURO'S
FACE IS...
THIS?!



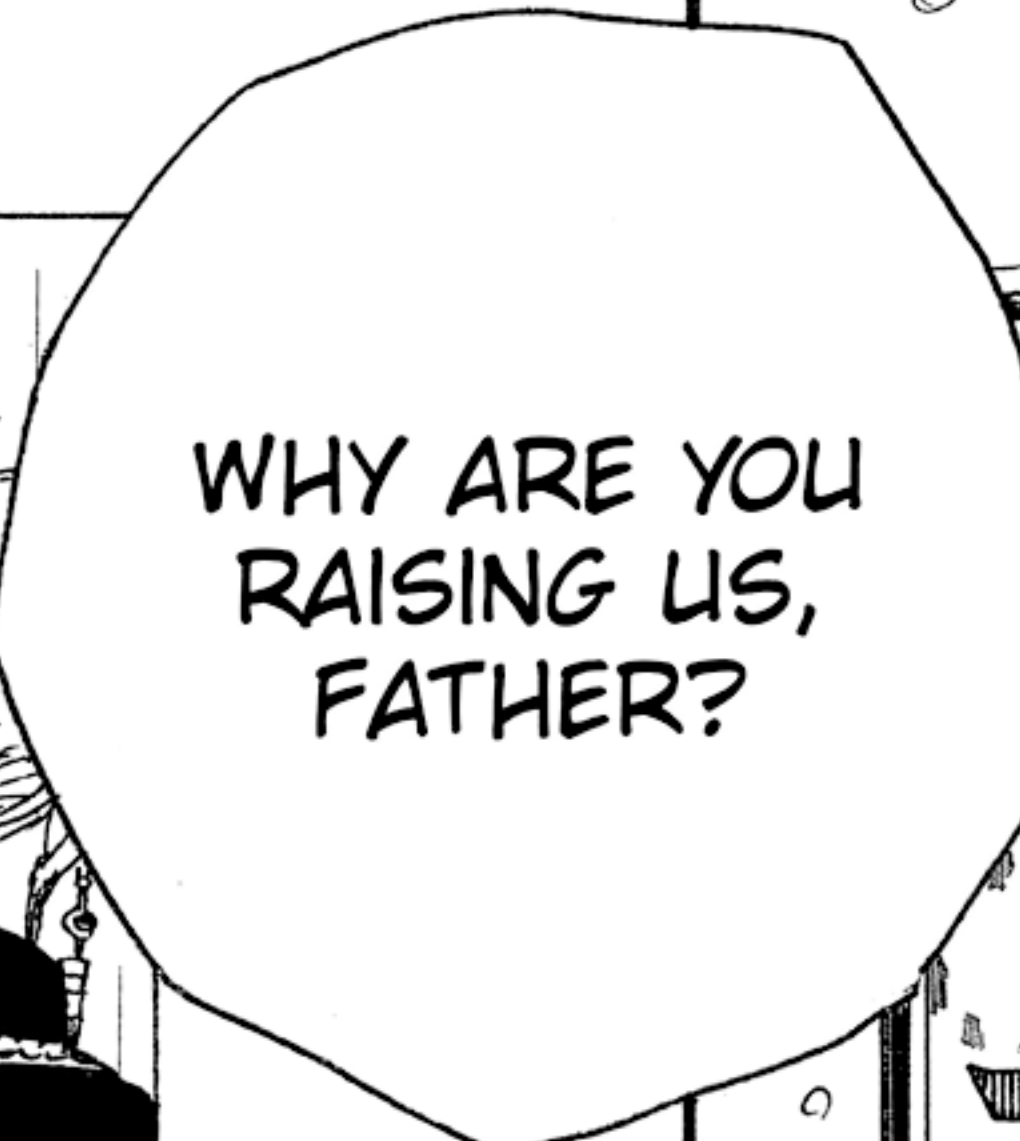
WHY AM
I HERE
?

FUMP

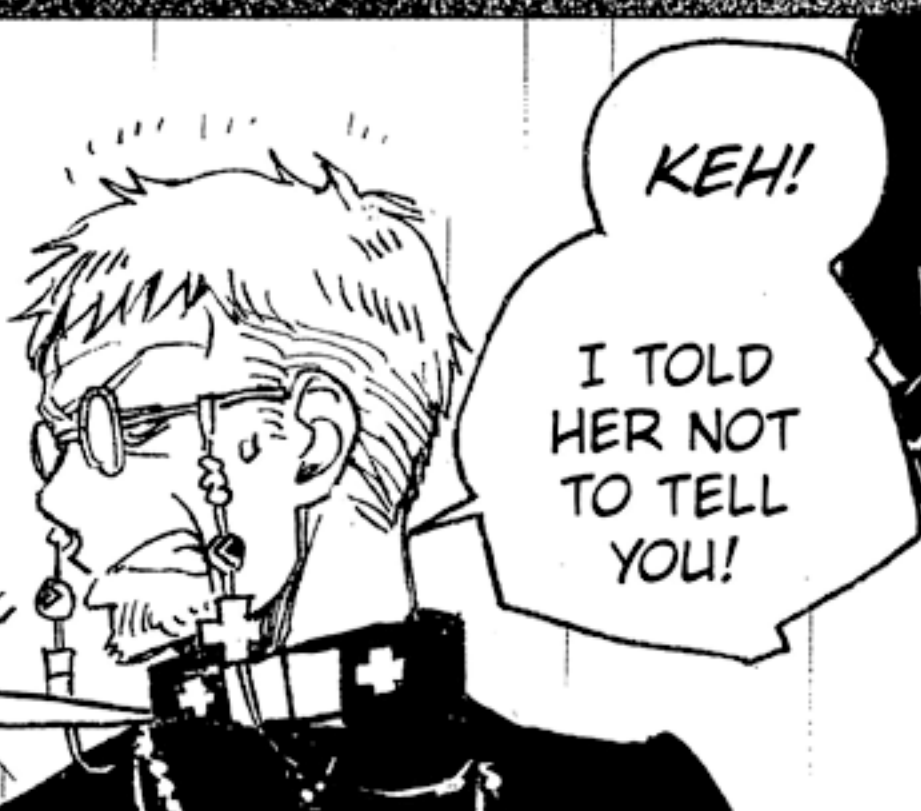
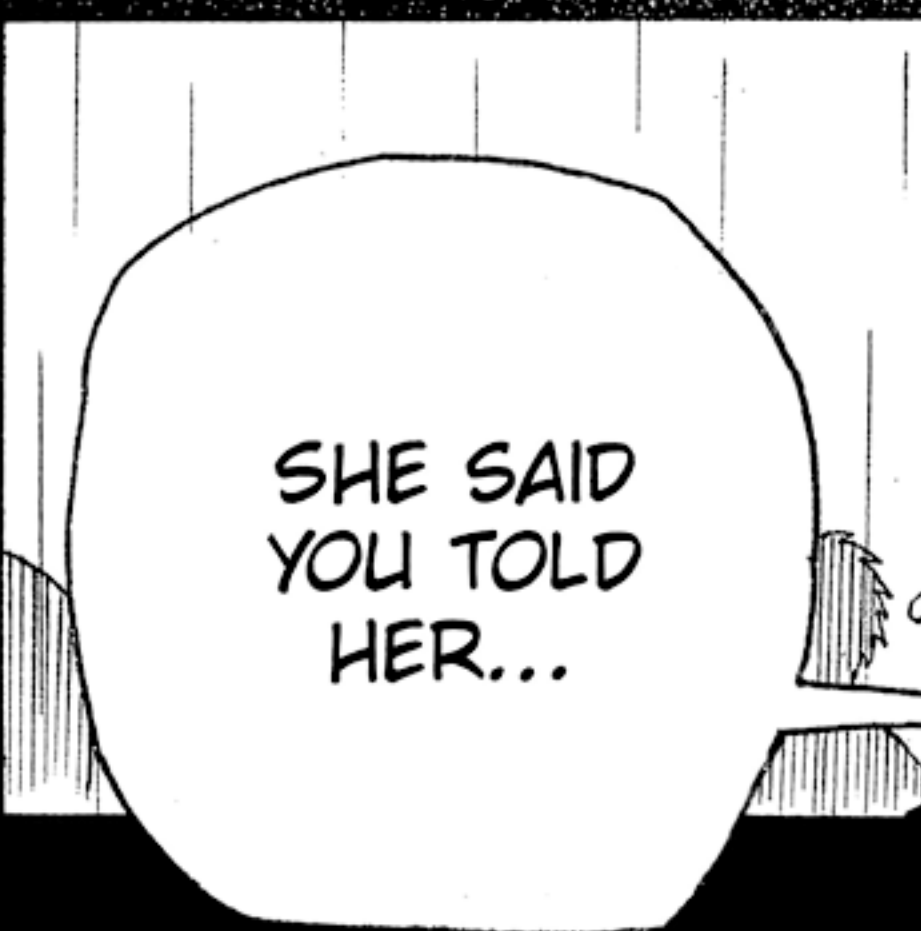


I DON'T
WANT TO
THINK
ANYMORE.

TWO
YEARS
AGO



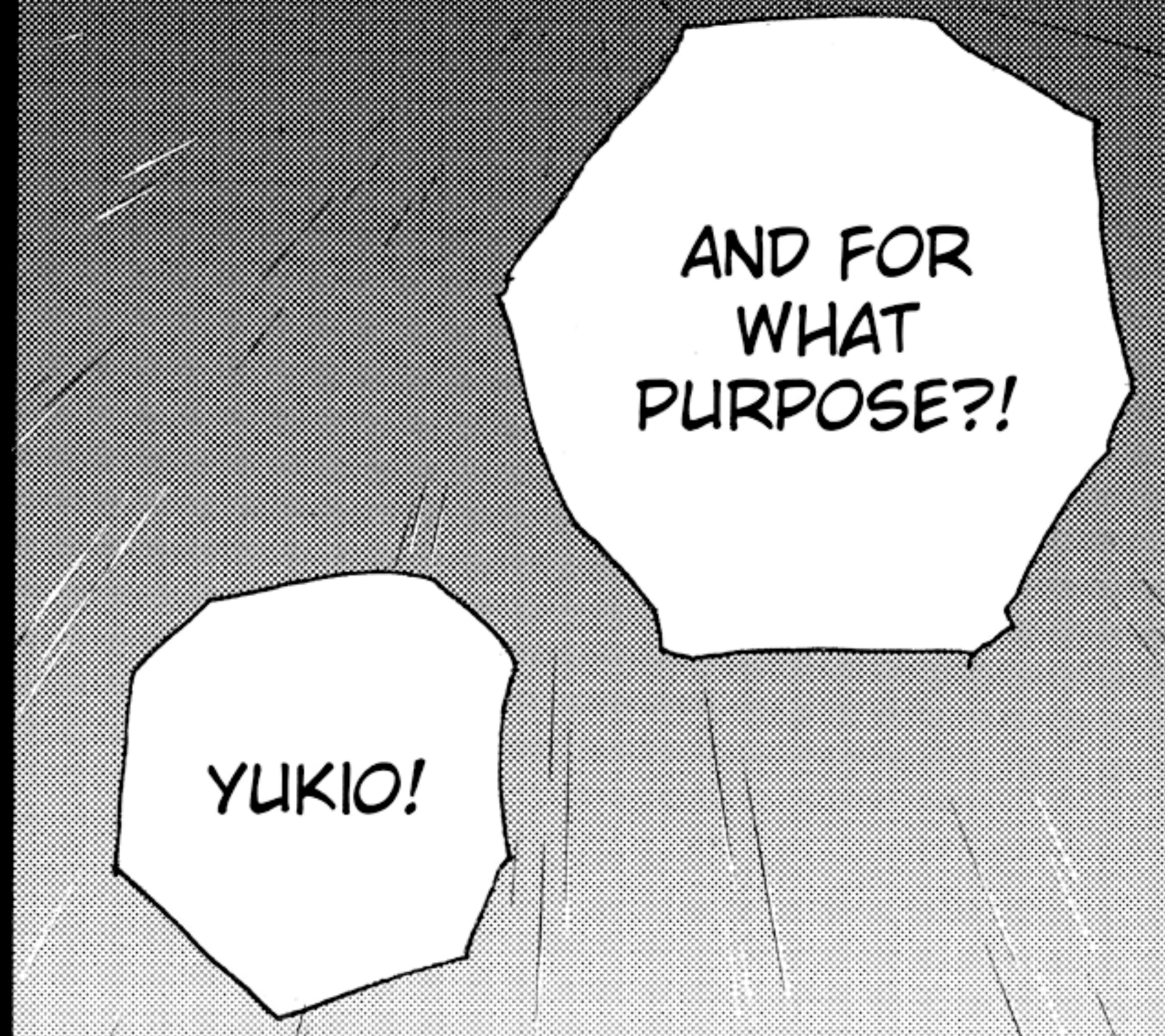
*SIGN:
EXORCISM
SUPPLY SHOP
FUTSUMAYA





I HAD NEVER
RUN AWAY
FROM HOME
BEFORE.

SAITOH



AND FOR
WHAT
PURPOSE?!

YUKIO!



BUT FOR
SOME
REASON...



BACK THEN,
I DIDN'T
HAVE MUCH
MONEY AND
HAD NO
PLACE TO
GO.



...I CAME
HERE



I DON'T
KNOW WHY

YUKI?

OH...





I LOVE
TO GO
OUT IN
THE RAIN!



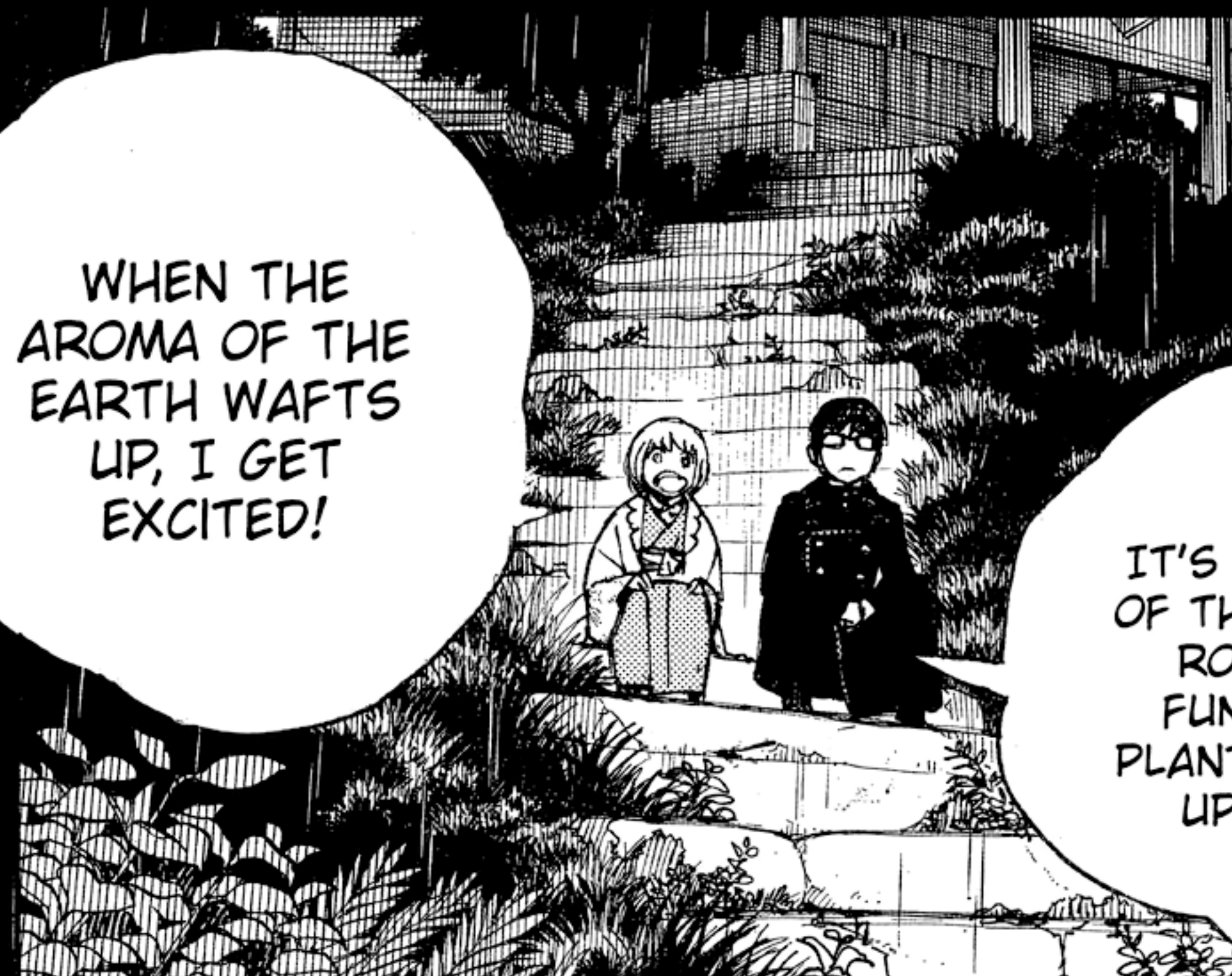
YOU TOO?!
ME TOO!!

HUH?!



UH...
YEAH?

I HAD
NEVER
THOUGHT
ABOUT
IT...



WHEN THE
AROMA OF THE
EARTH WAFTS
UP, I GET
EXCITED!

I LOVE THE
SMELL OF
THE RAIN!

IT'S THE SMELL
OF THE SOIL AND
ROCKS AND
FUNGUS AND
PLANTS SUCKING
UP WATER!

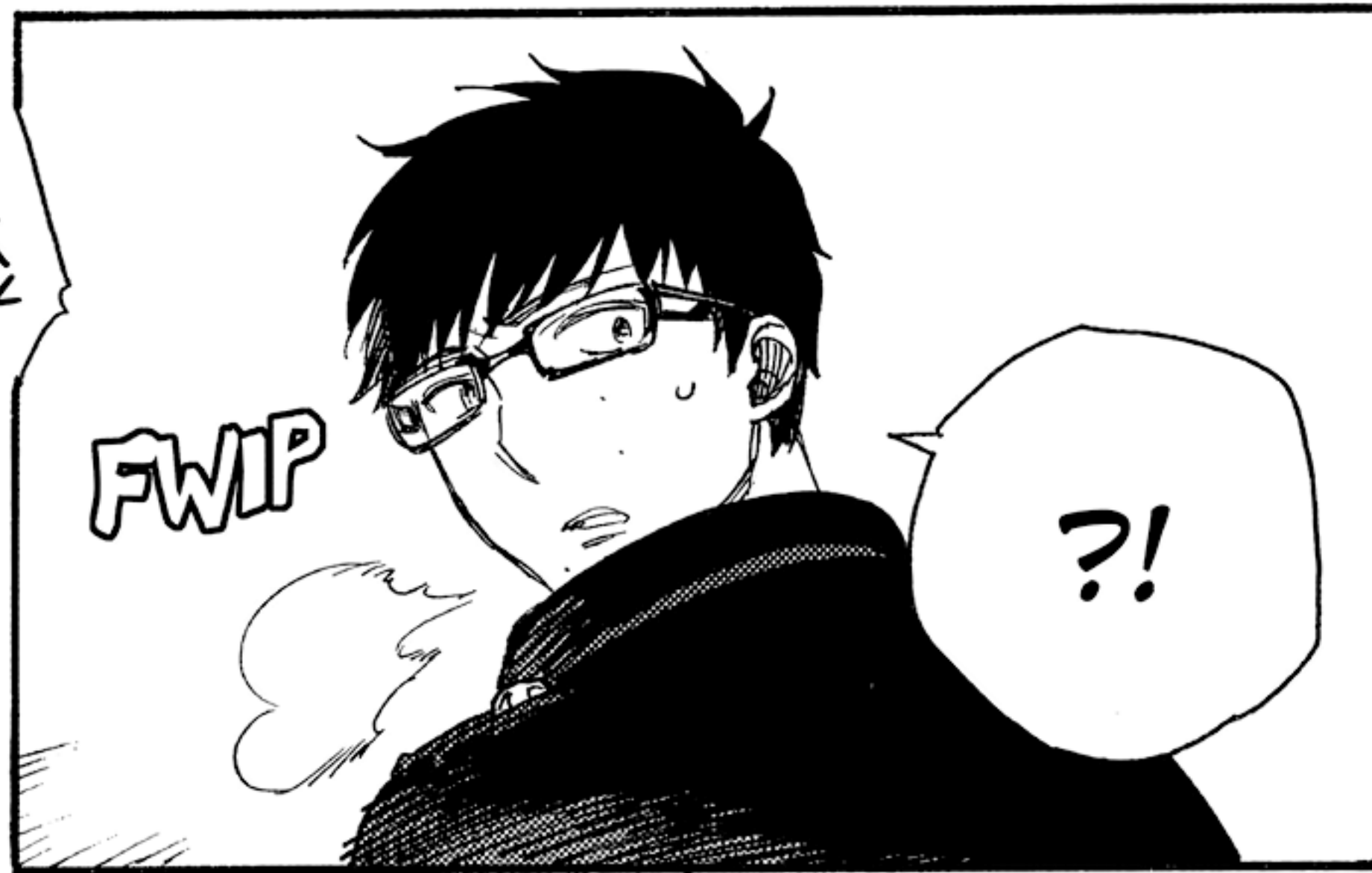


DOES FATHER
FUJIMOTO GET
ANGRY AT
YOU?

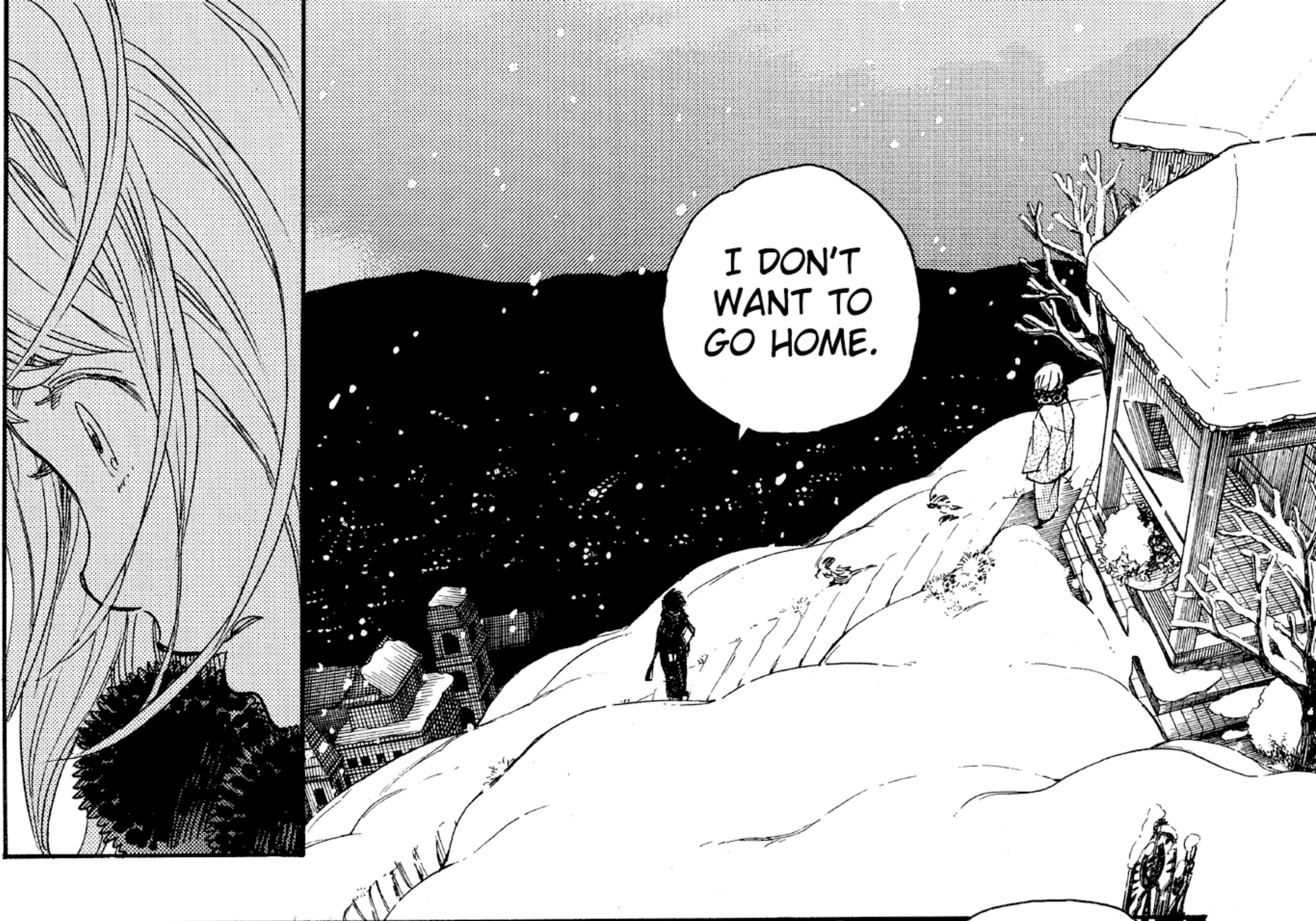
... "YOU FORGOT
YOUR UMBRELLA
AGAIN?! FOR
SHAME!"

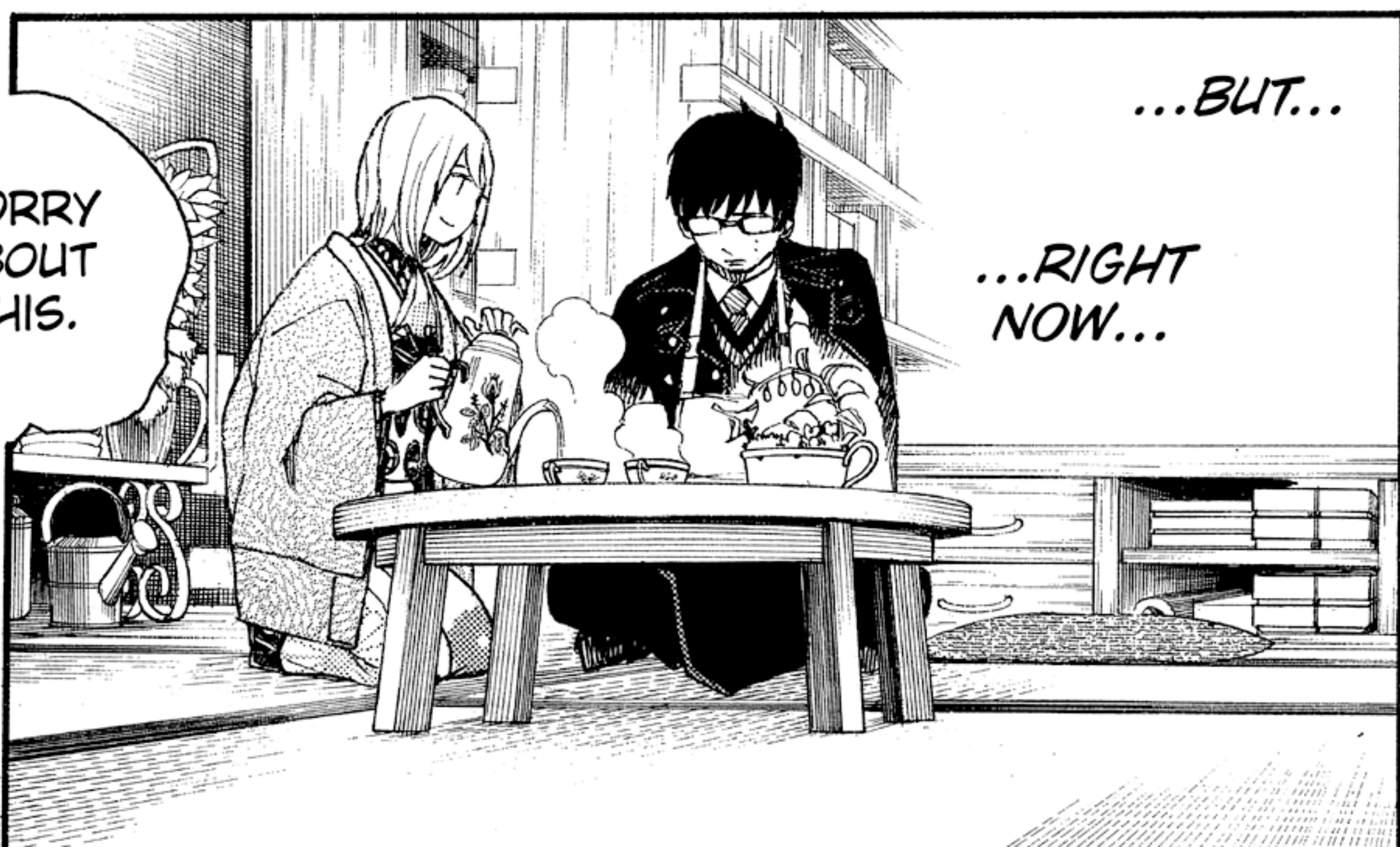
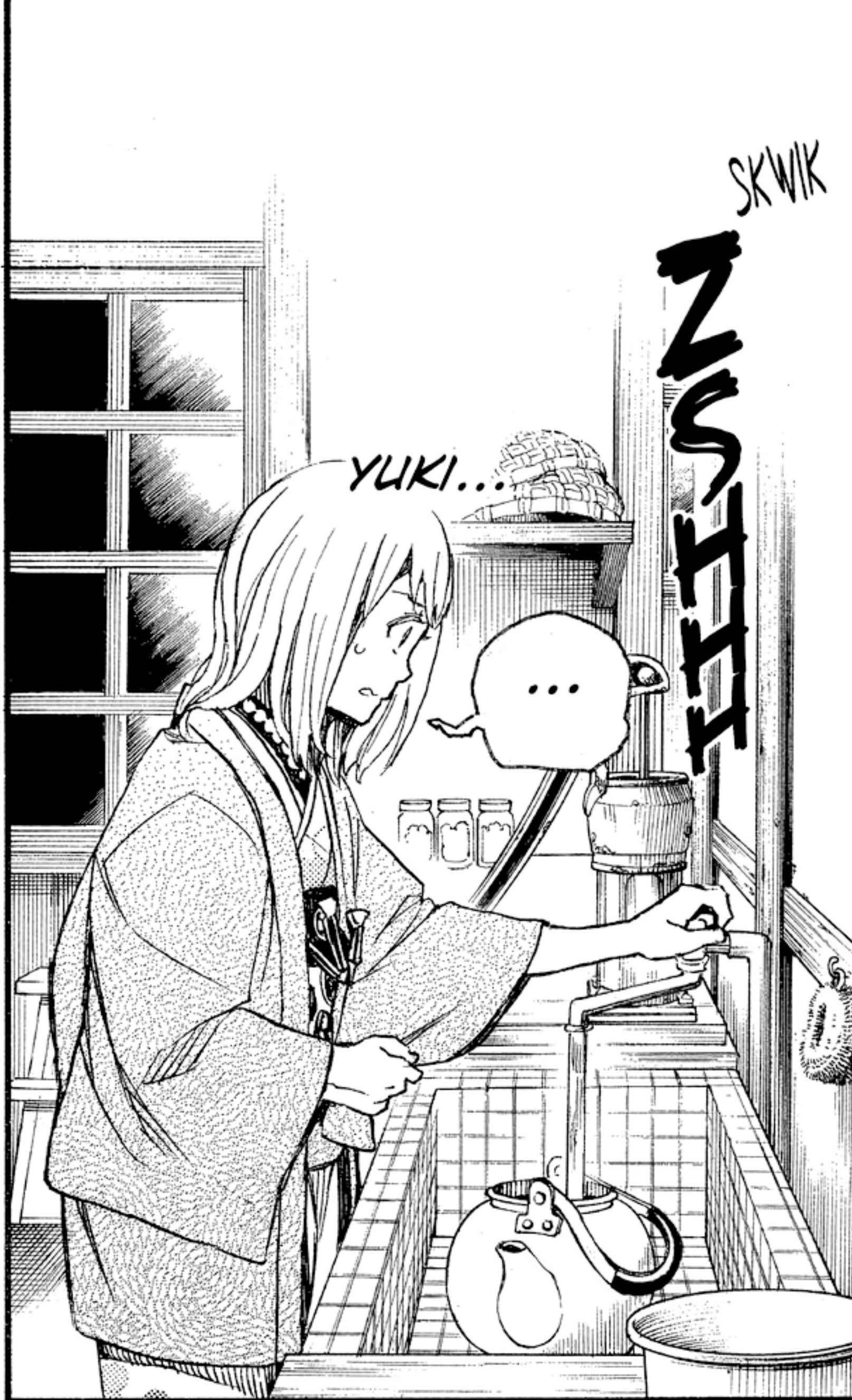
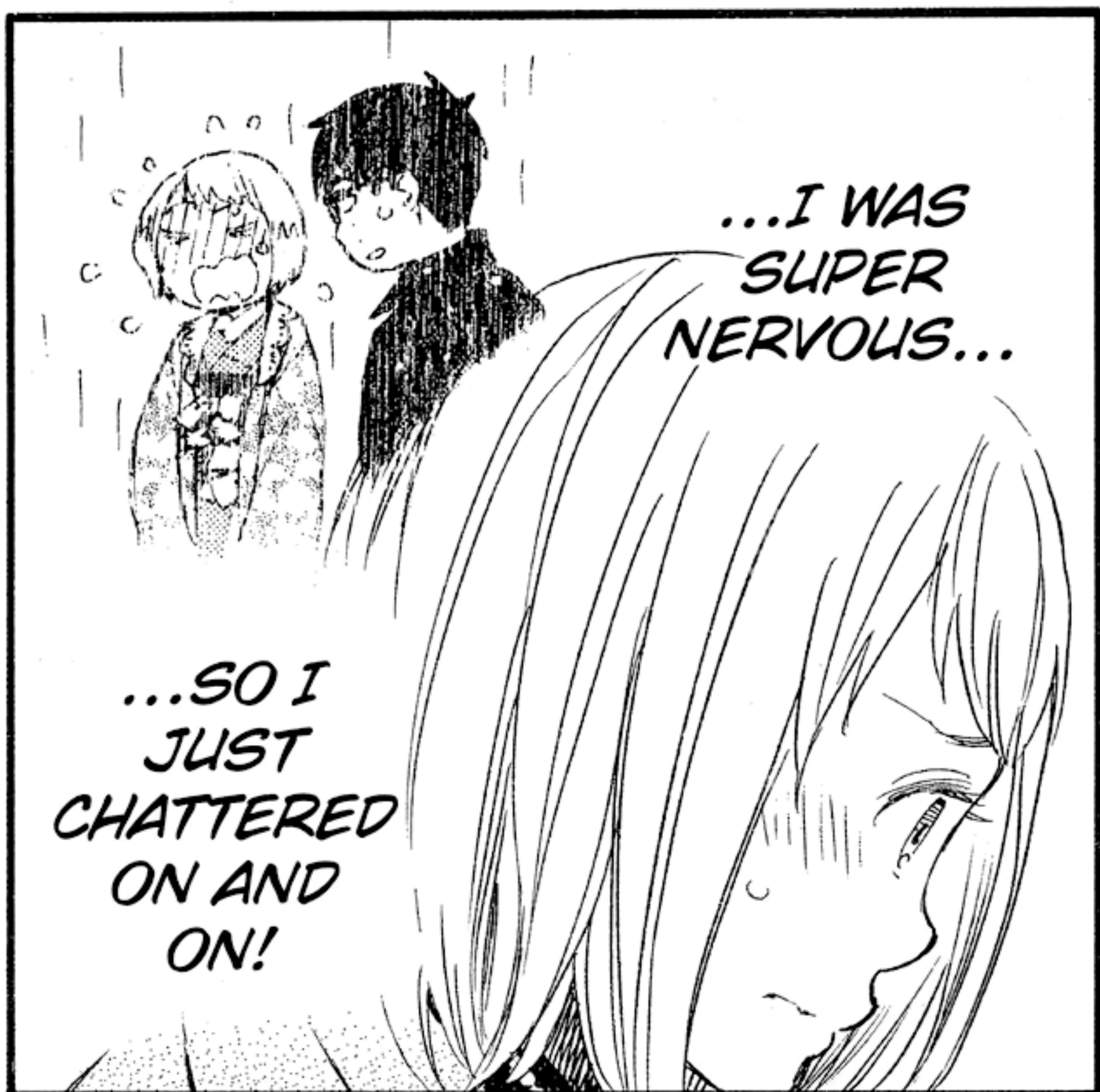
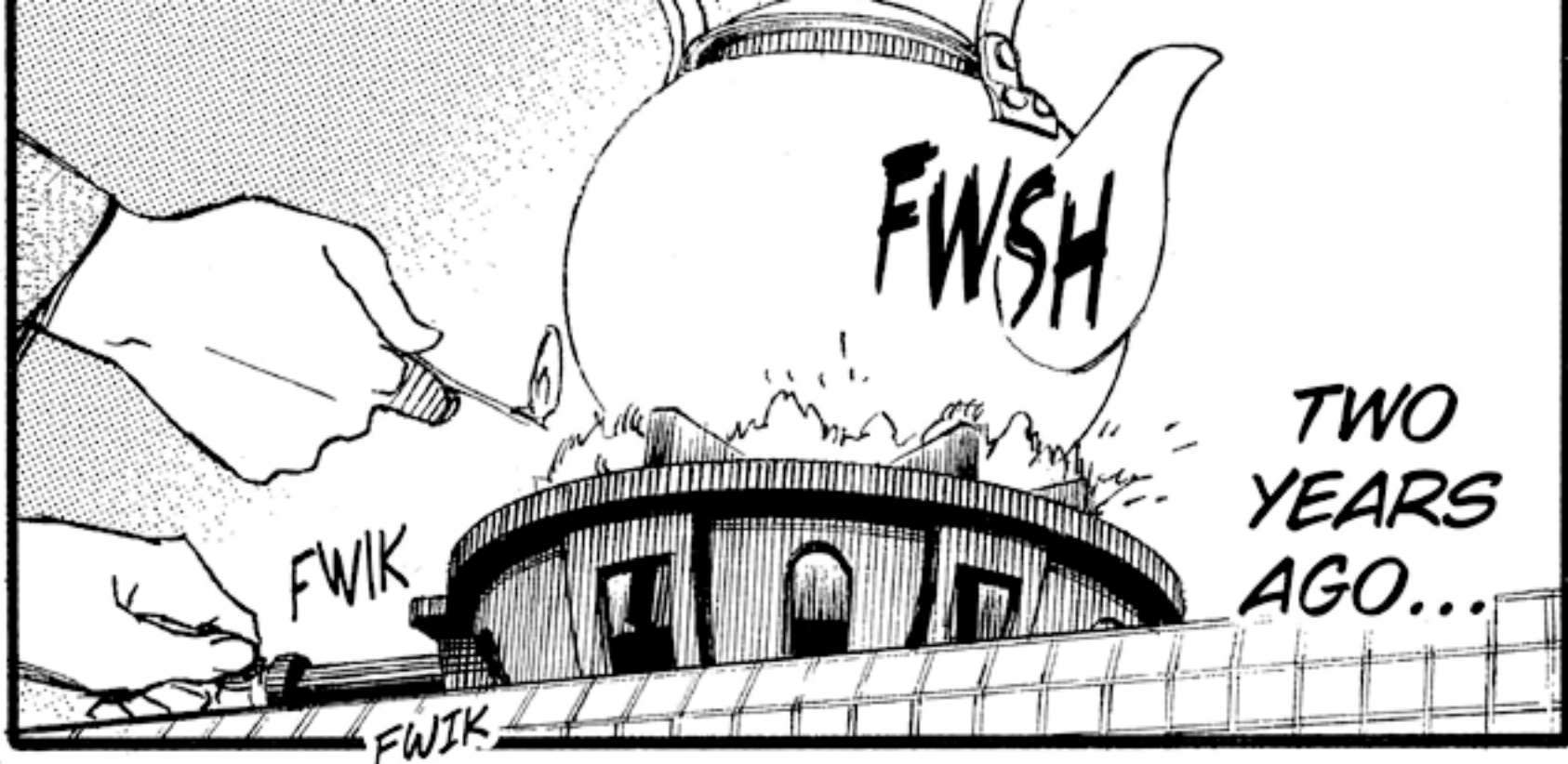
MOM ALWAYS
GETS ANGRY
AND SAYS...

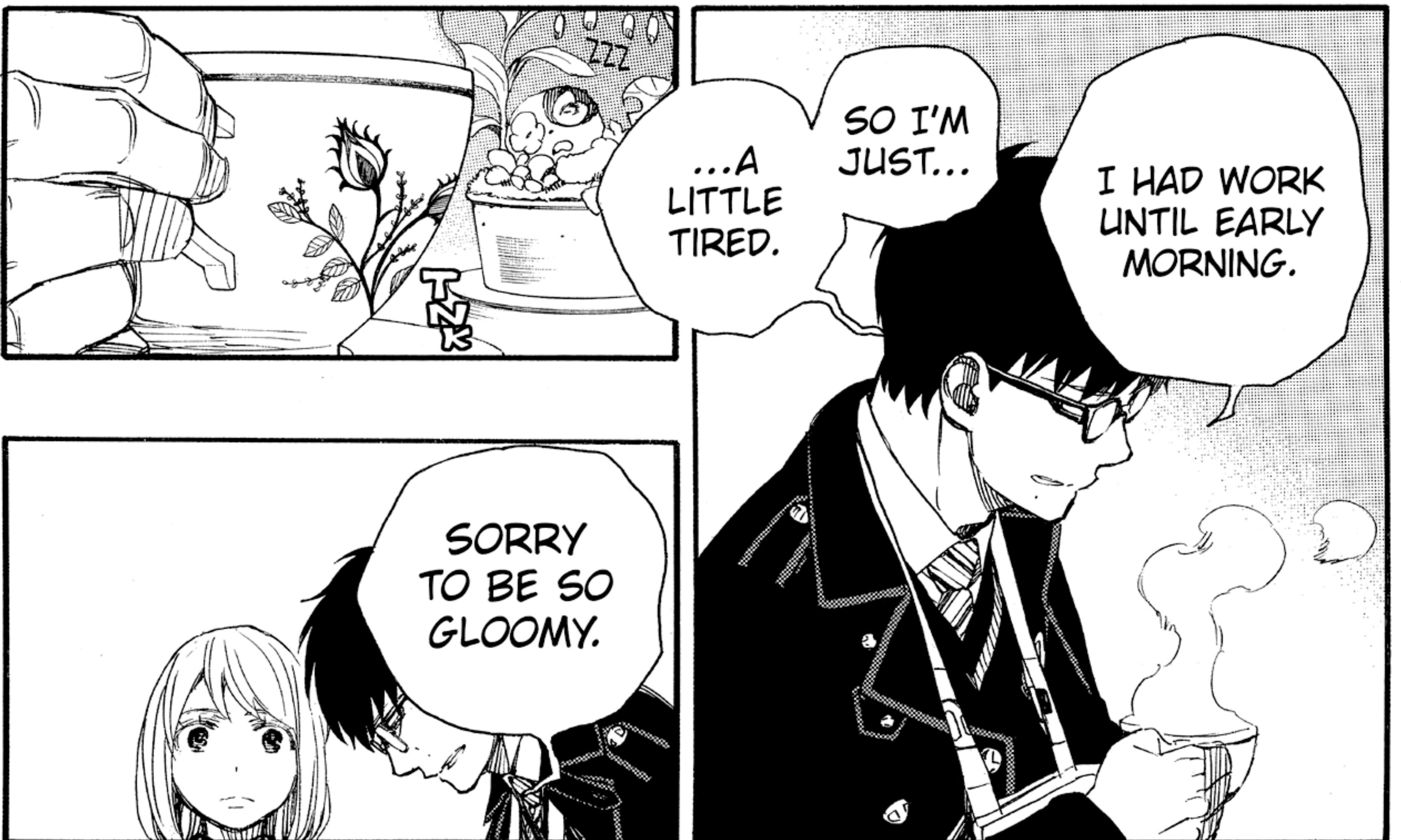
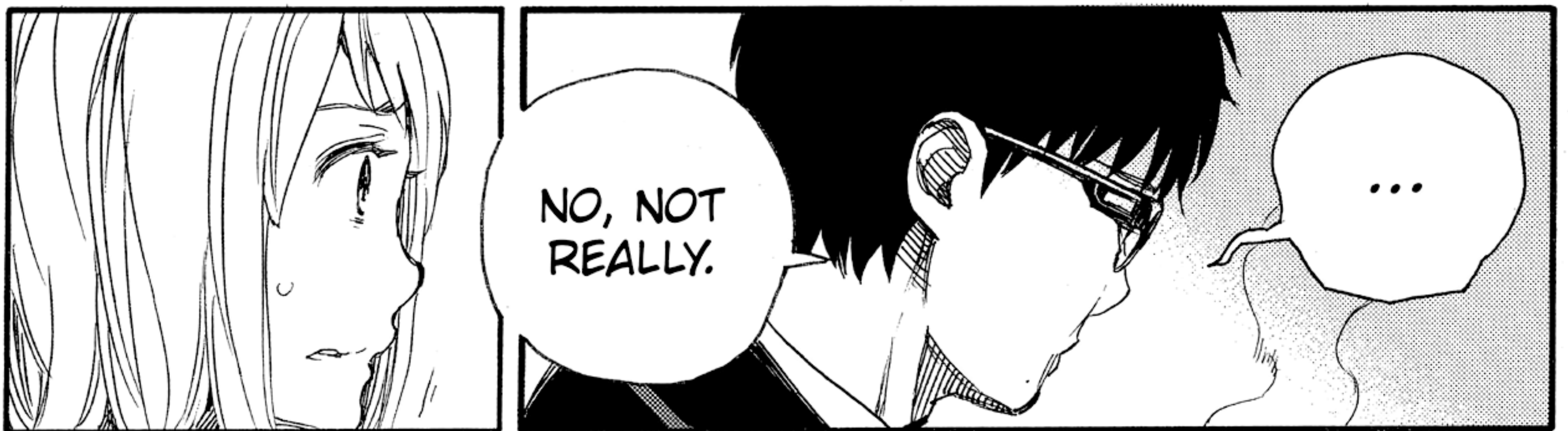


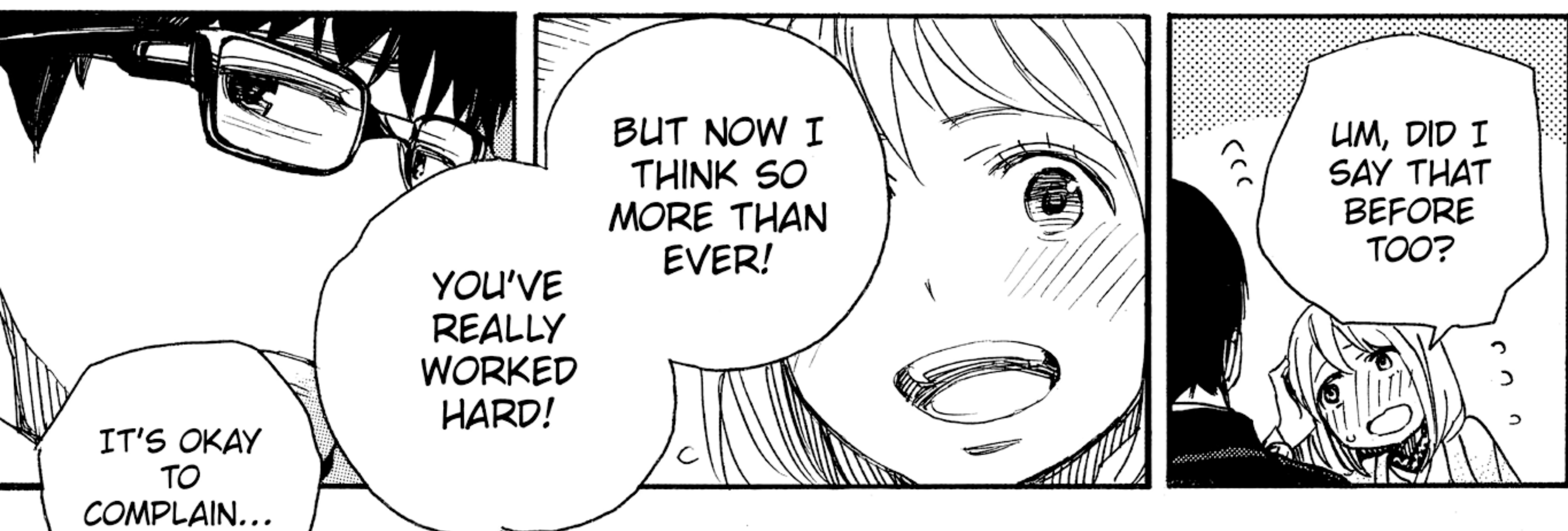






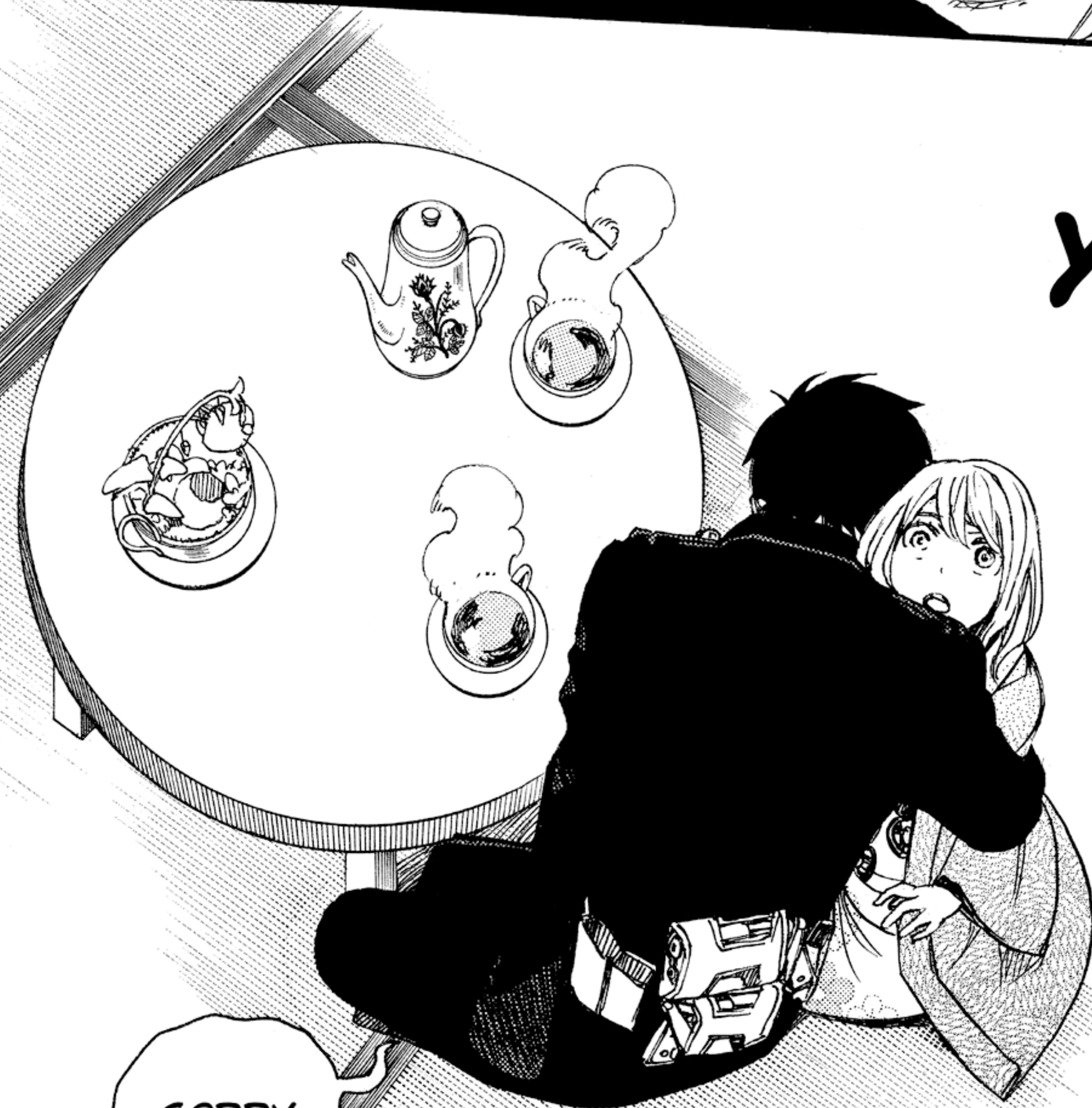








YUKI?!



SORRY,
BUT...

...JUST
FOR A
MOMENT.



IT'S
OKAY.

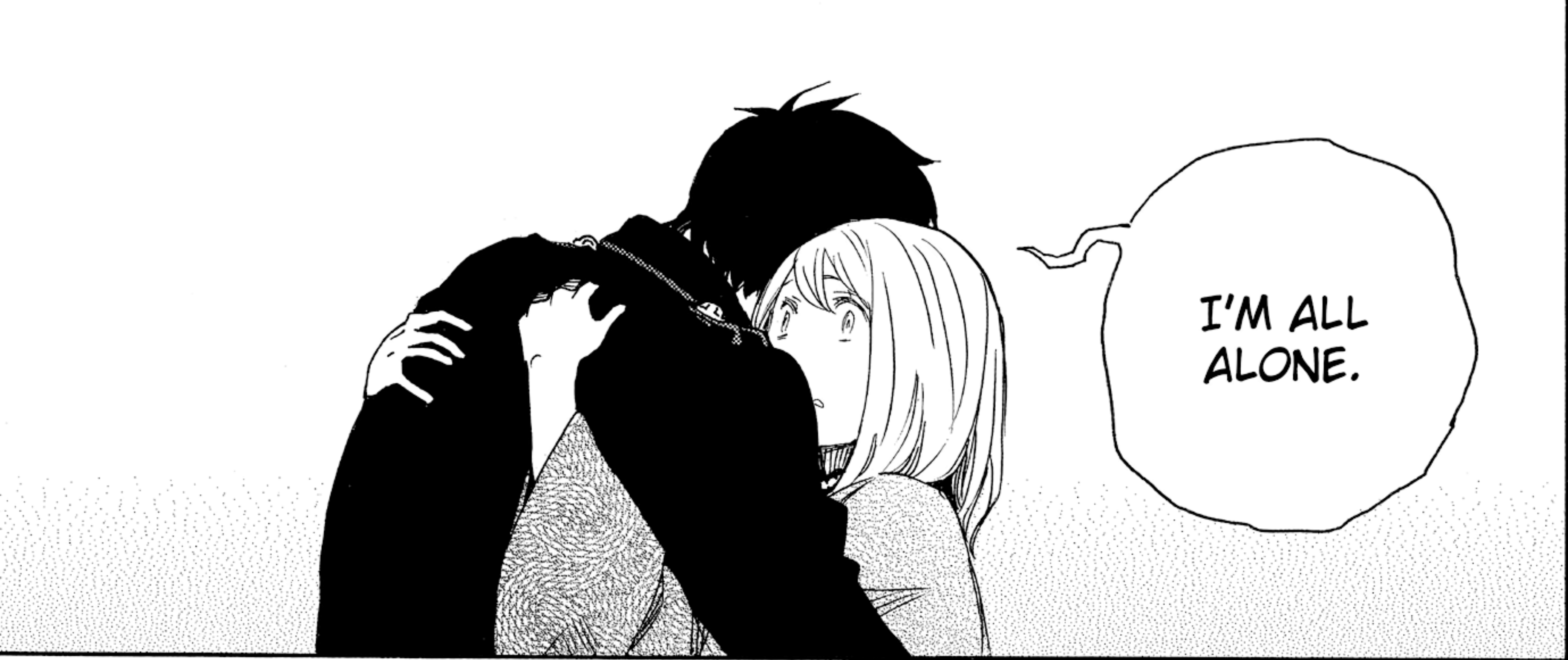
IT'LL BE
ALL RIGHT.

**BE STRONG
FOR HIM!!**


**BE
STRONG...**

YUKI





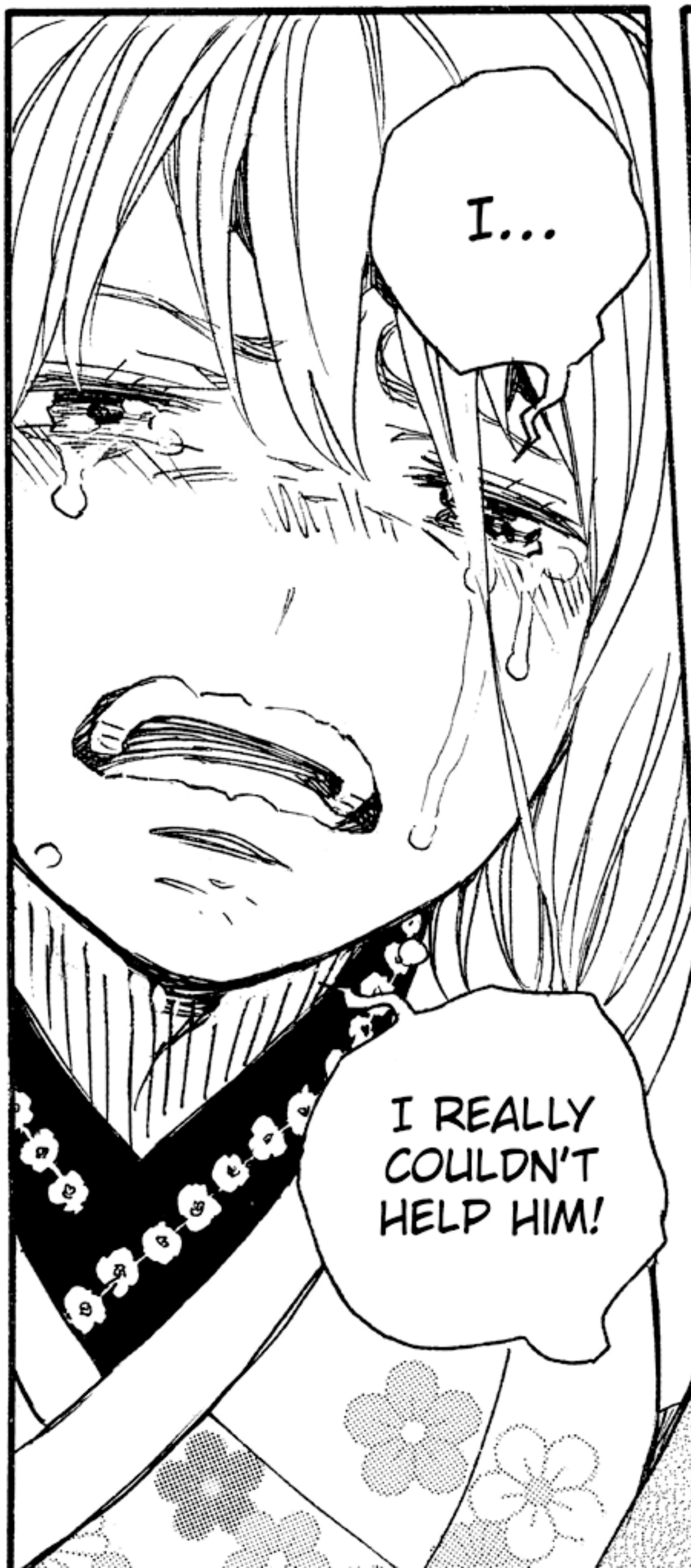
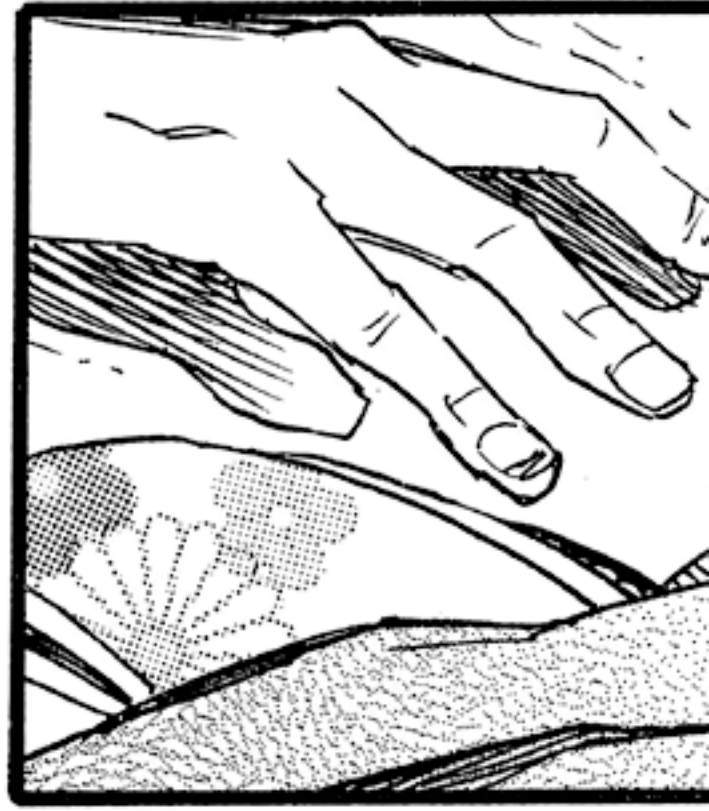
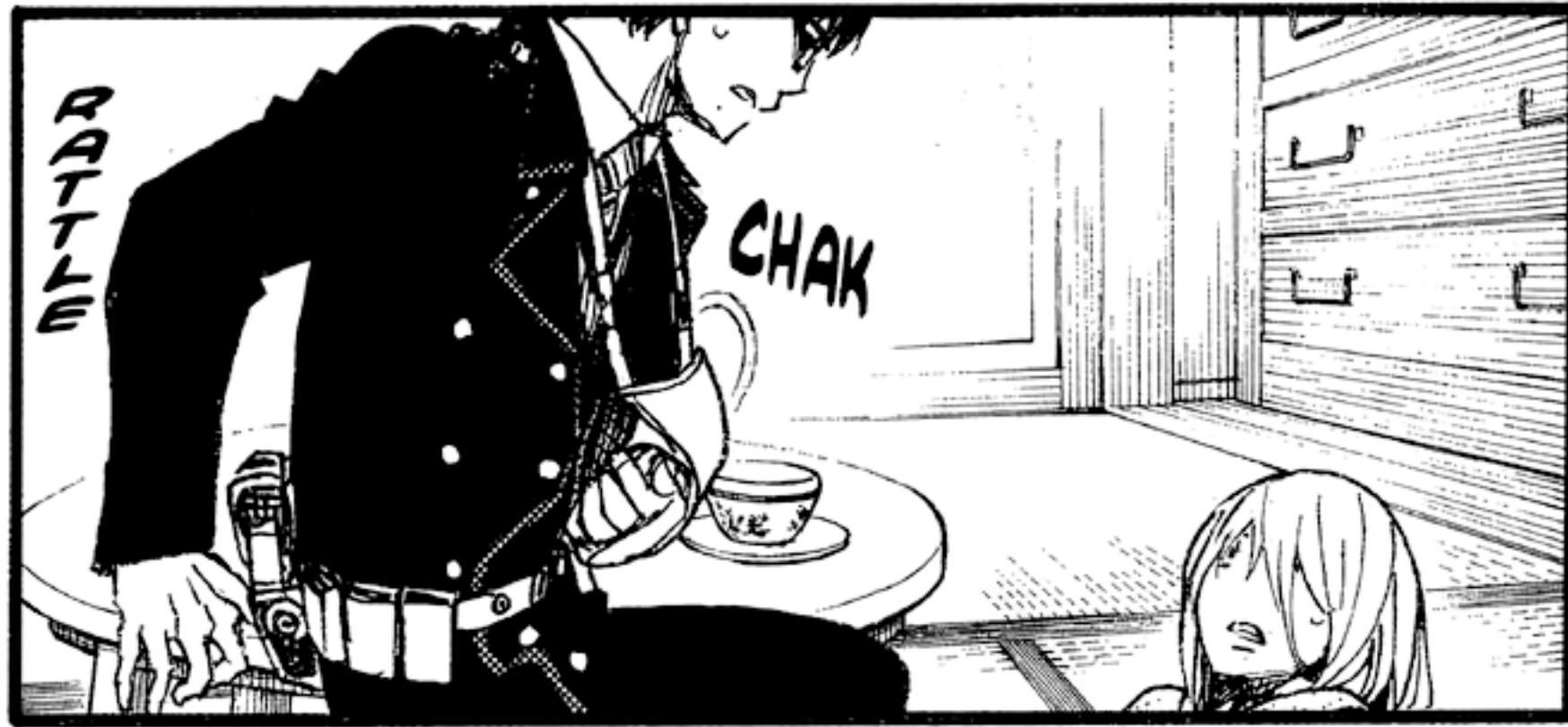
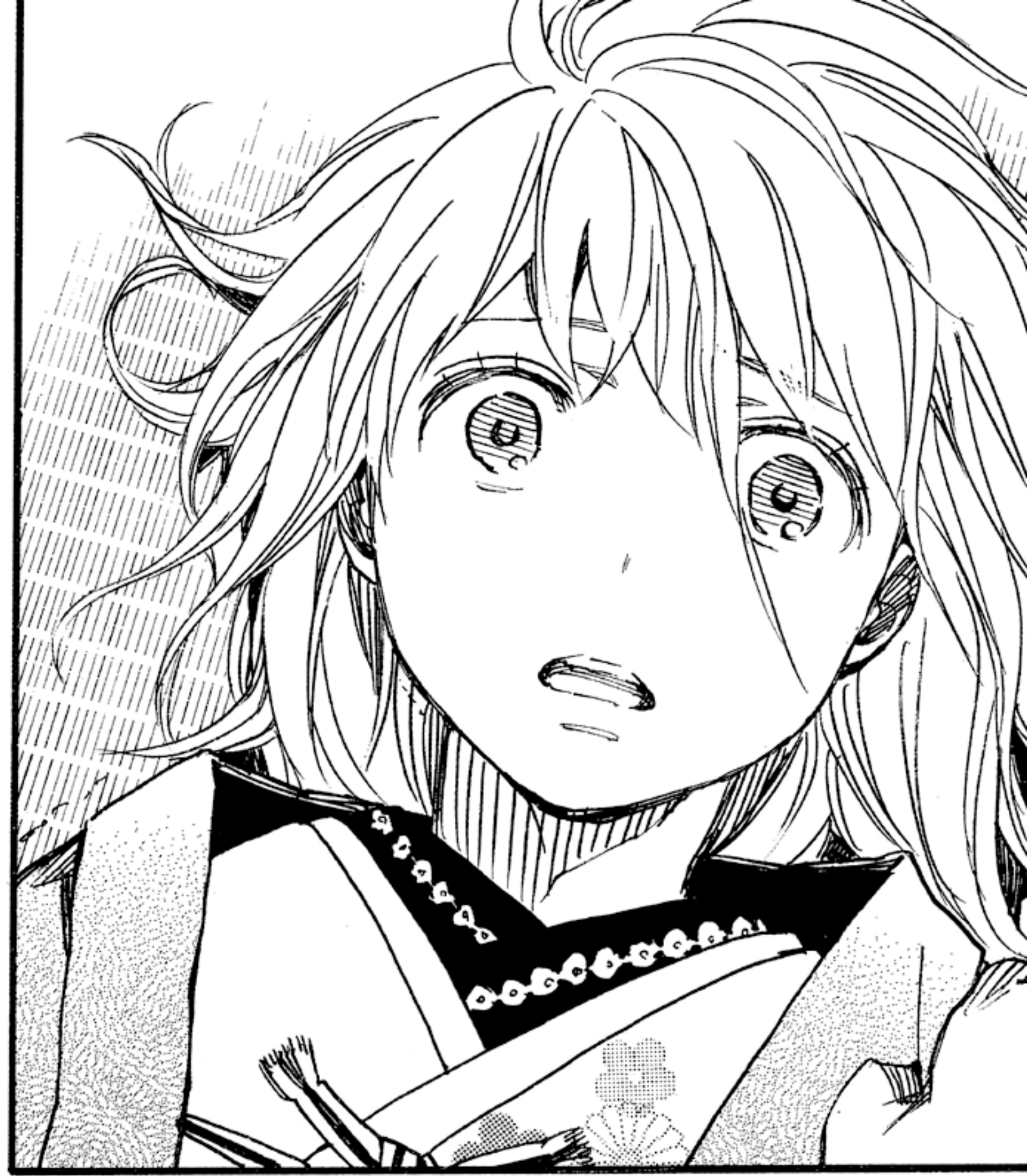


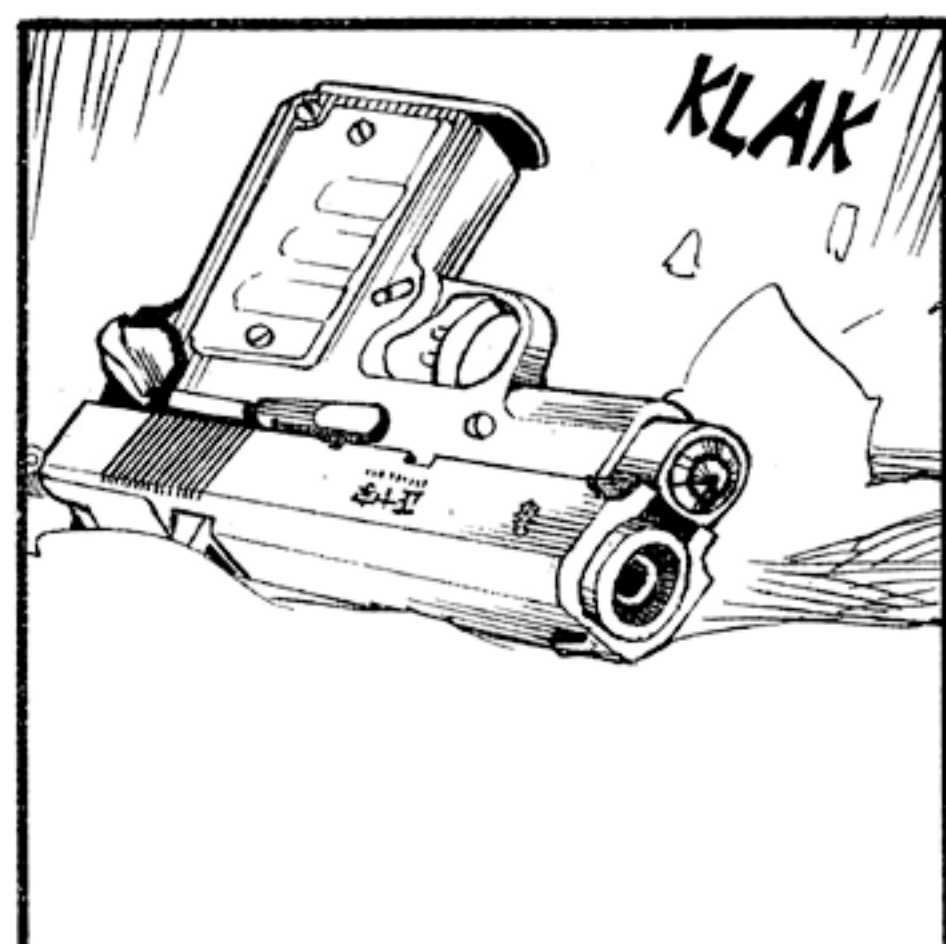
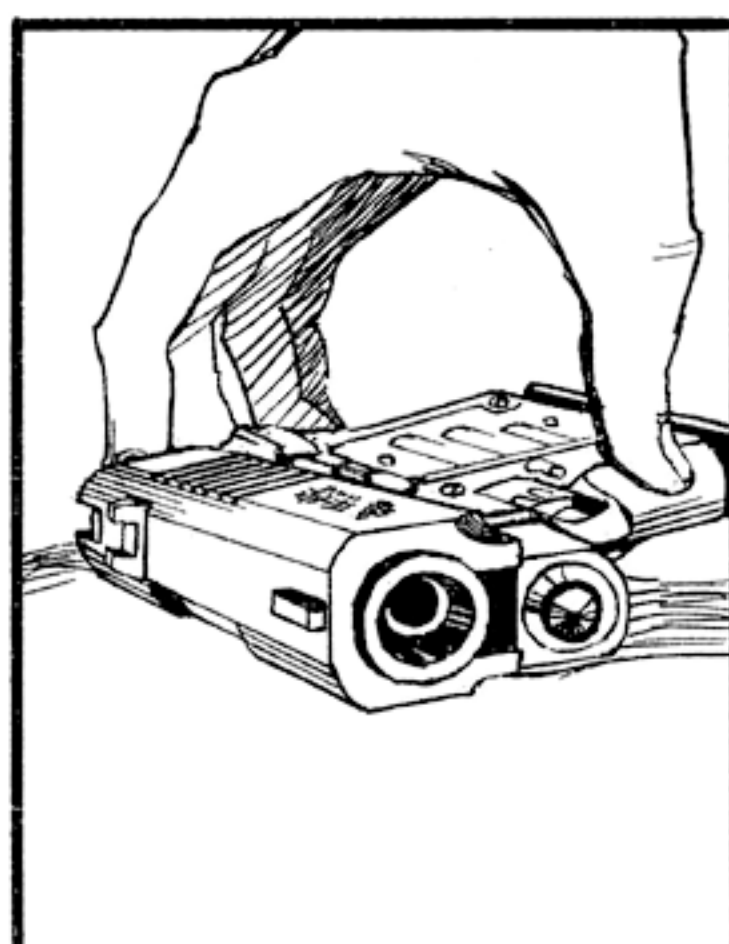
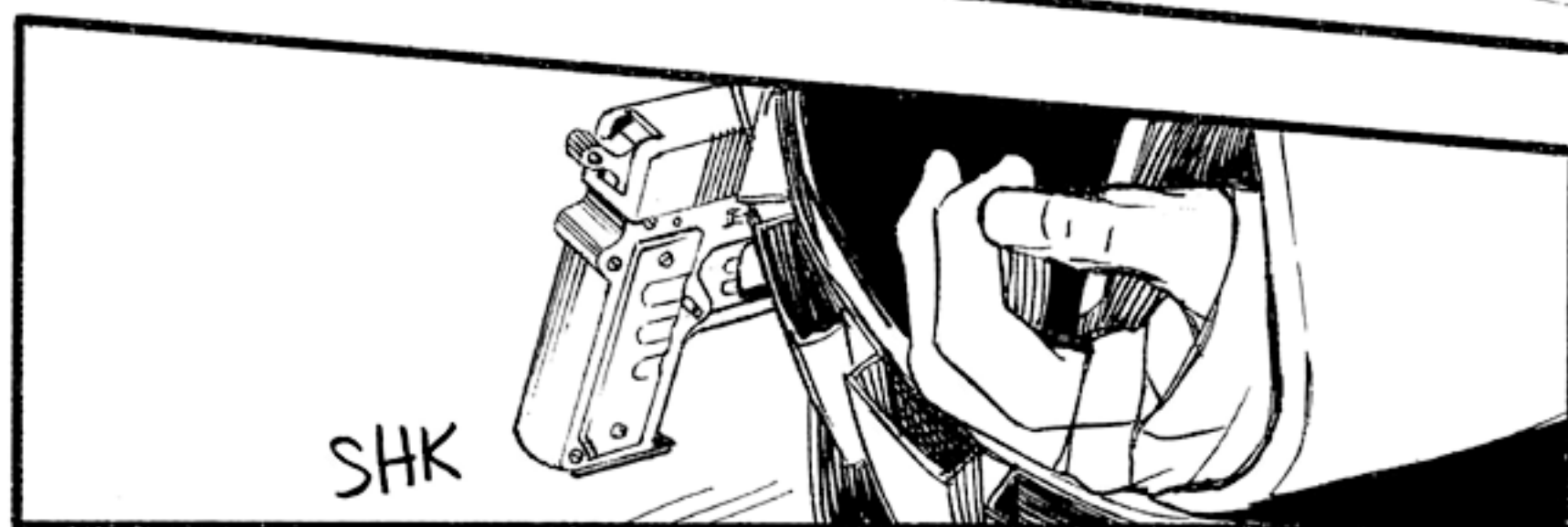


HE'S WORRIED
ABOUT YOU
TOO.

WELL, I
DIDN'T
ASK HIM
TO BE!!

W
M







**...SO
TIRED.**



AND I
COULDN'T...

...GET ANY
STRONGER.

I'M...

OWA
HA HA...
HEE HEE
HEE...

FW
SH

S

Z

Z

Z

THISSSSS
PATHETIC
WEAKLING...

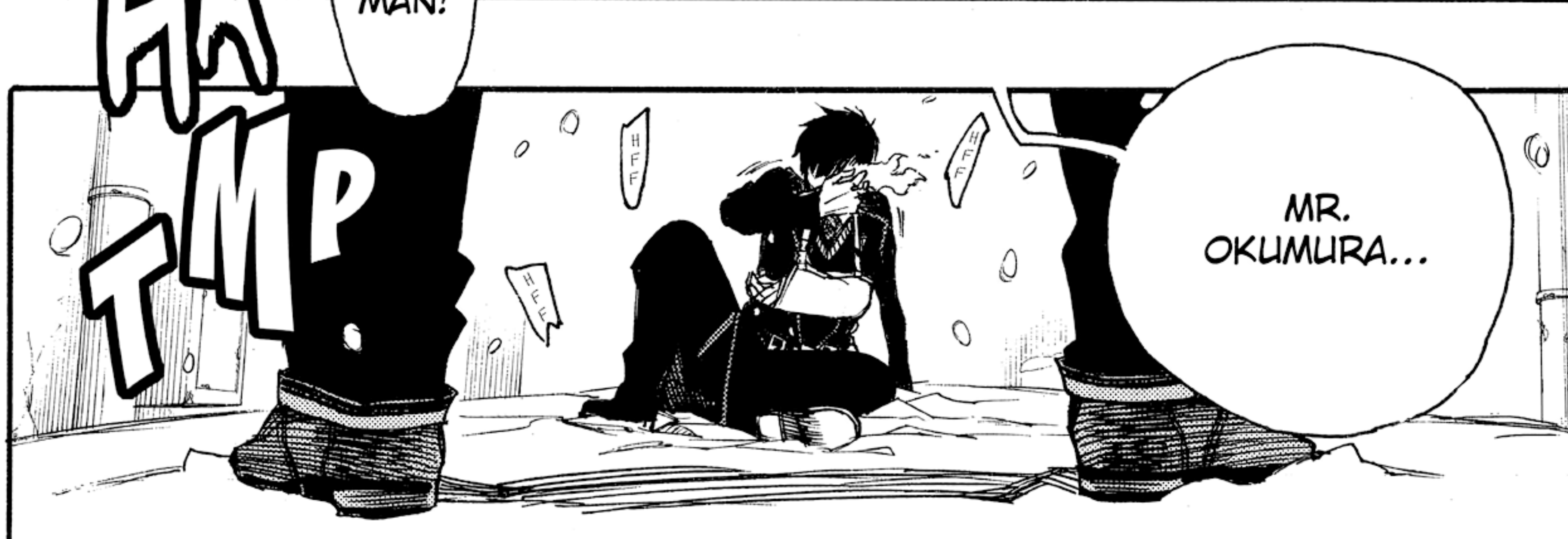
WHAT
THE-?!

...IS
NOW...

TRYING
...

WHAT
JUST..

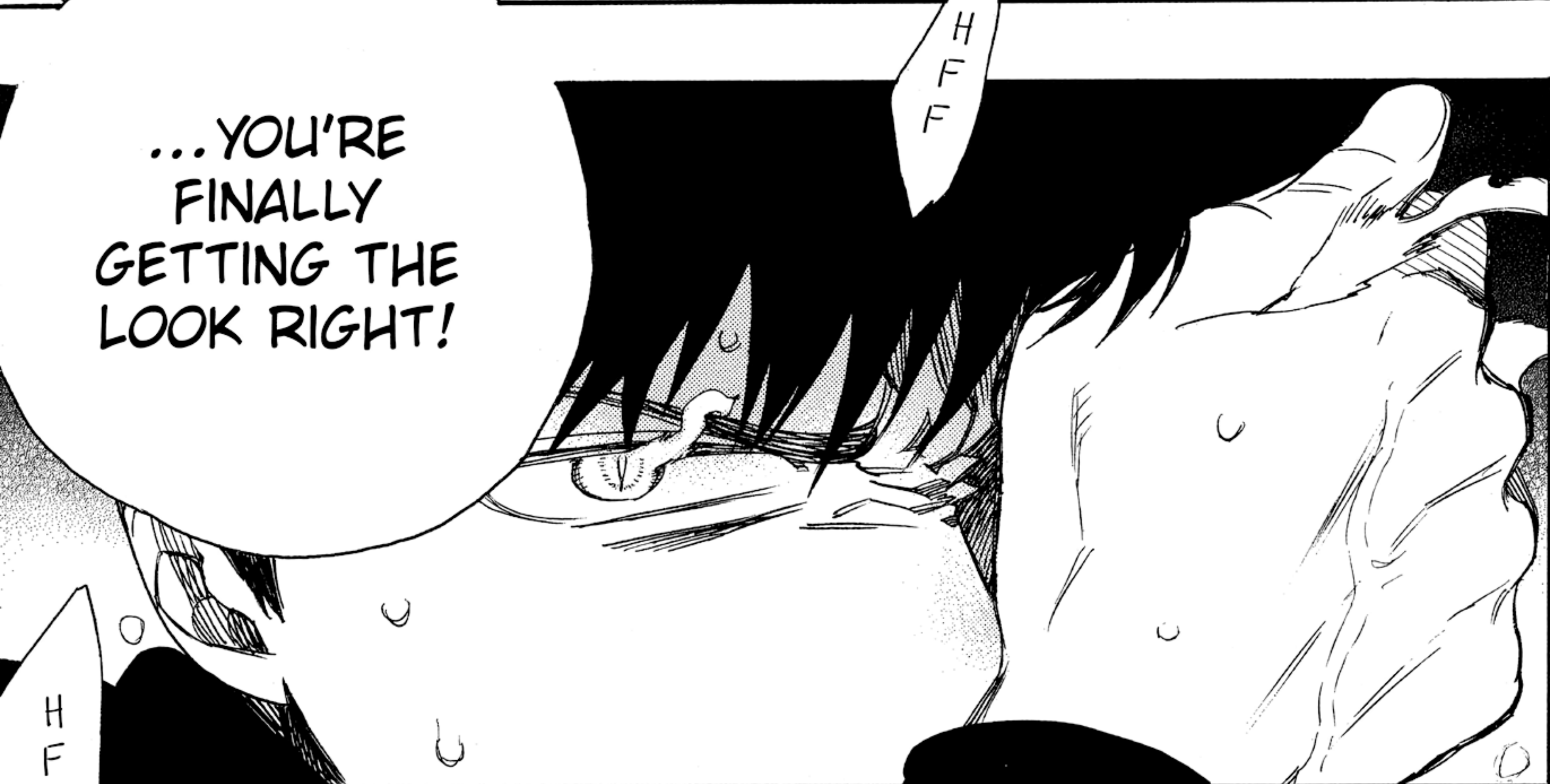
...TO
KILL
HIM-
SELF?!
WHAT
A
FOOL!





...YOU'RE
FINALLY
GETTING THE
LOOK RIGHT!

H
F
F



H
F
F

HAAH



HAAH

HAAH

SPLASH

GOOD
MORNING.



...REGARDING
THE FIRE AND
LOCKDOWN AT
IKEBUKURO
STATION.

WE HAVE
BREAKING
NEWS...

HERE WITH
ANALYSIS
IS...

HOWEVER, OUR
PROGRAMMING
HAS SUDDENLY
CHANGED.

DENTA

ANNA SAOTOME

IT IS 7 A.M.
ON JANUARY
2.

WE ORIGINALLY
PLANNED TO
BROADCAST
THE HAKONE
MARATHON.



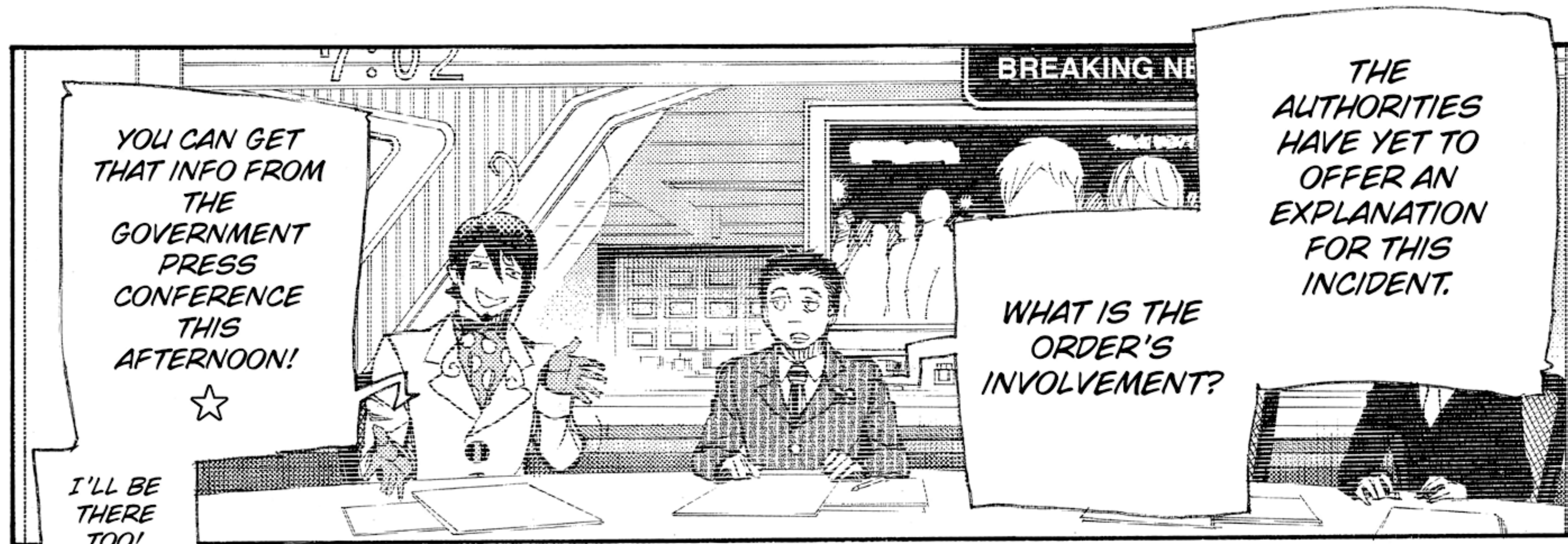
HI! I'M
JOHANN
FAUST!



PRECEPTOR, JAPAN BRANCH,
KNIGHTS OF THE TRUE CROSS

JOHANN FAUST THE FIFTH

...JOHANN
FAUST,
PRECEPTOR OF
THE JAPAN
BRANCH OF THE
KNIGHTS OF
THE TRUE
CROSS.



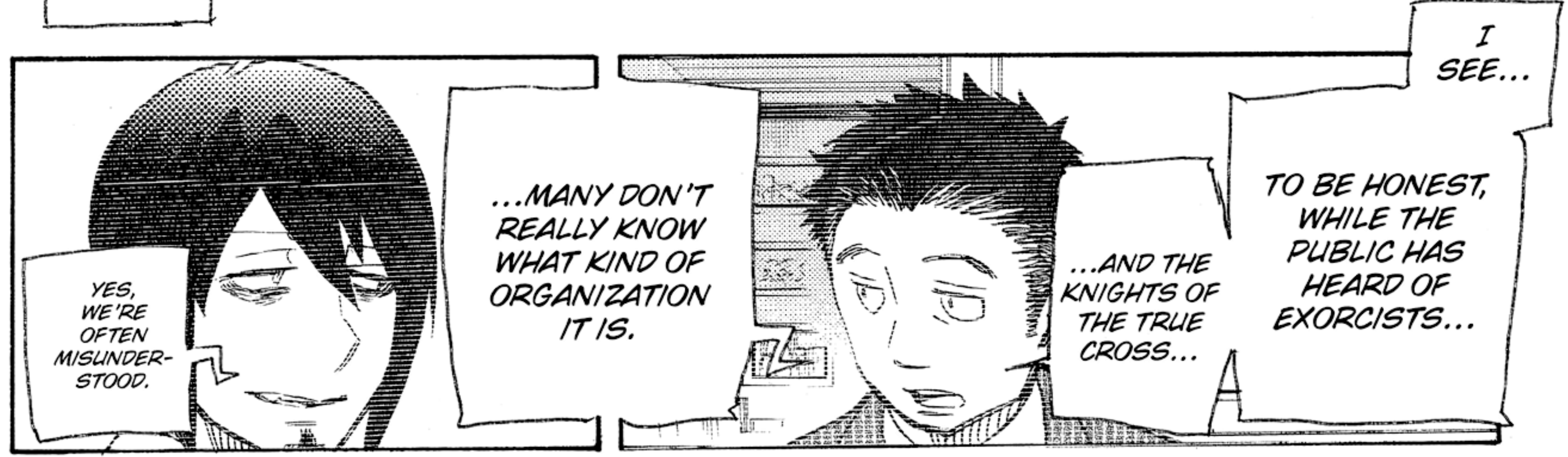
YOU CAN GET
THAT INFO FROM
THE
GOVERNMENT
PRESS
CONFERENCE
THIS
AFTERNOON!



I'LL BE
THERE
TOO!

WHAT IS THE
ORDER'S
INVOLVEMENT?

THE
AUTHORITIES
HAVE YET TO
OFFER AN
EXPLANATION
FOR THIS
INCIDENT.



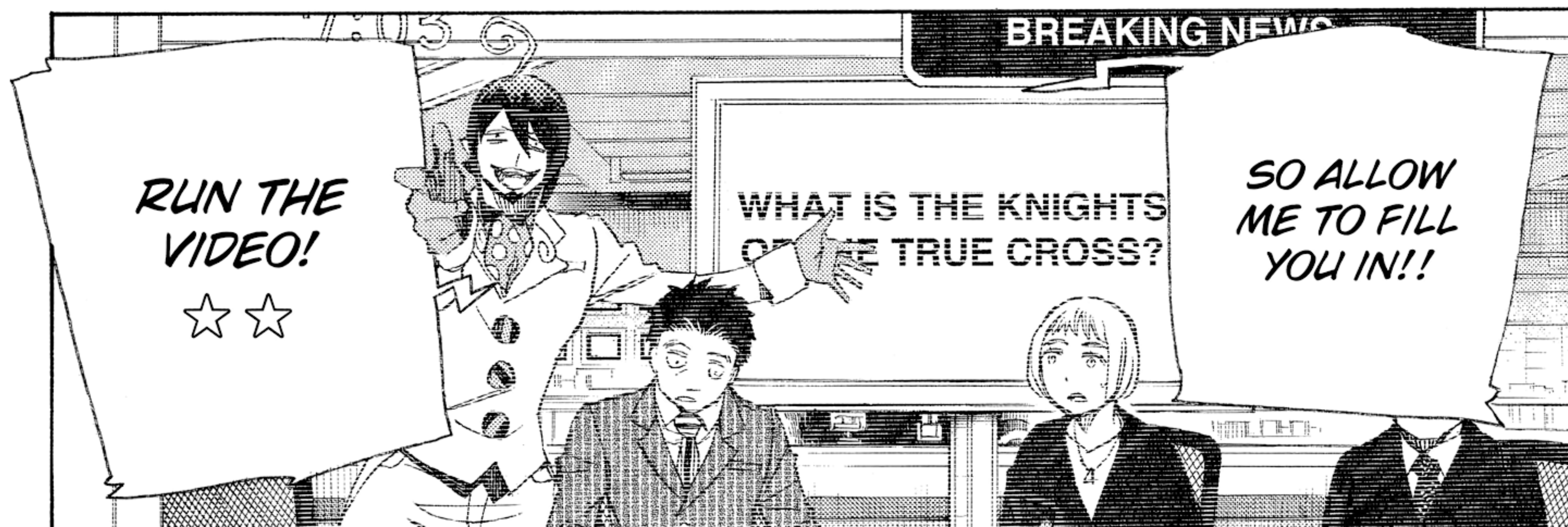
YES,
WE'RE
OFTEN
MISUNDER-
STOOD.

...MANY DON'T
REALLY KNOW
WHAT KIND OF
ORGANIZATION
IT IS.

...AND THE
KNIGHTS OF
THE TRUE
CROSS...

TO BE HONEST,
WHILE THE
PUBLIC HAS
HEARD OF
EXORCISTS...

I
SEE...

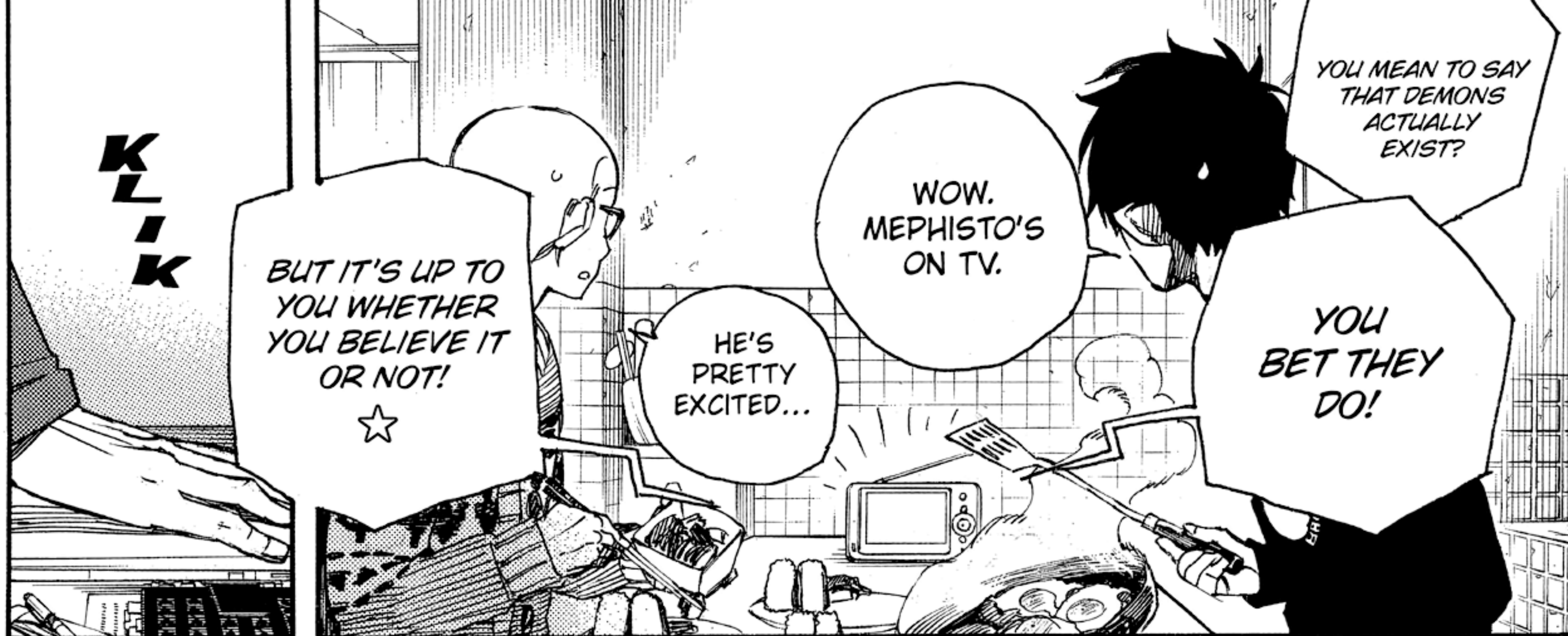


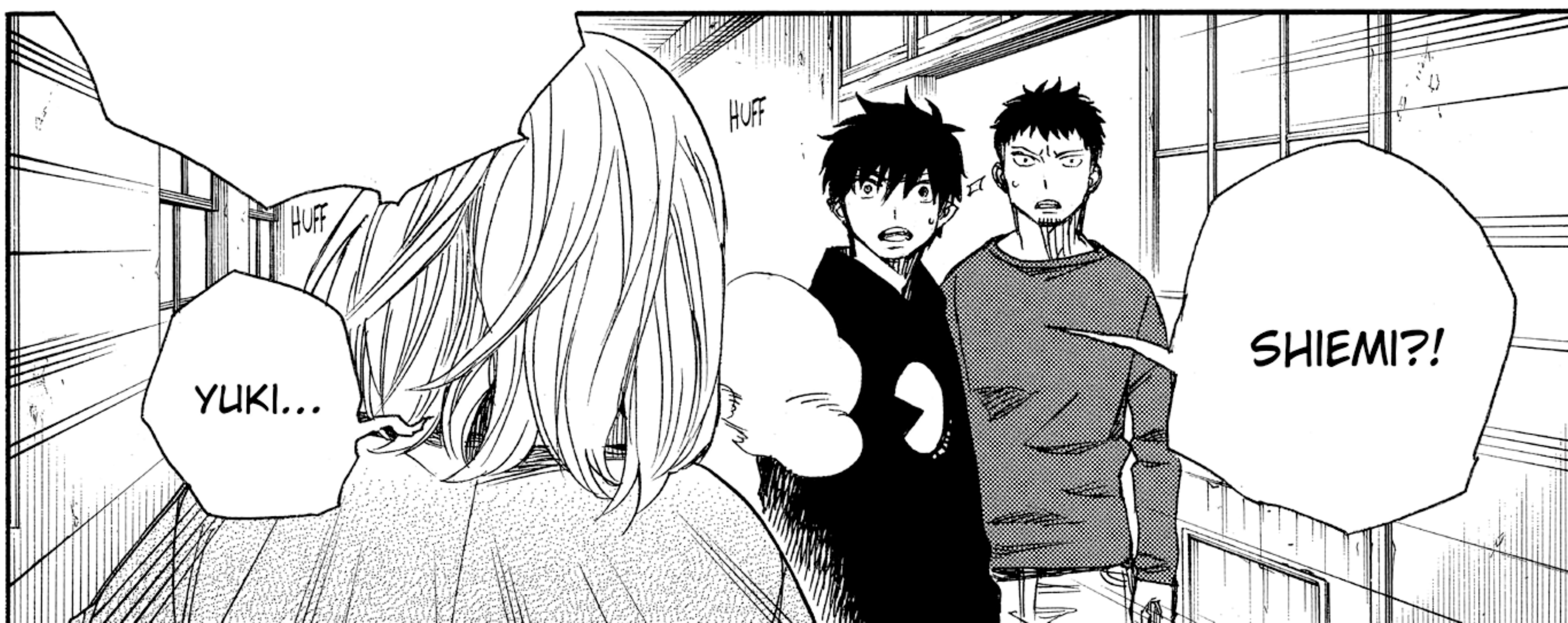
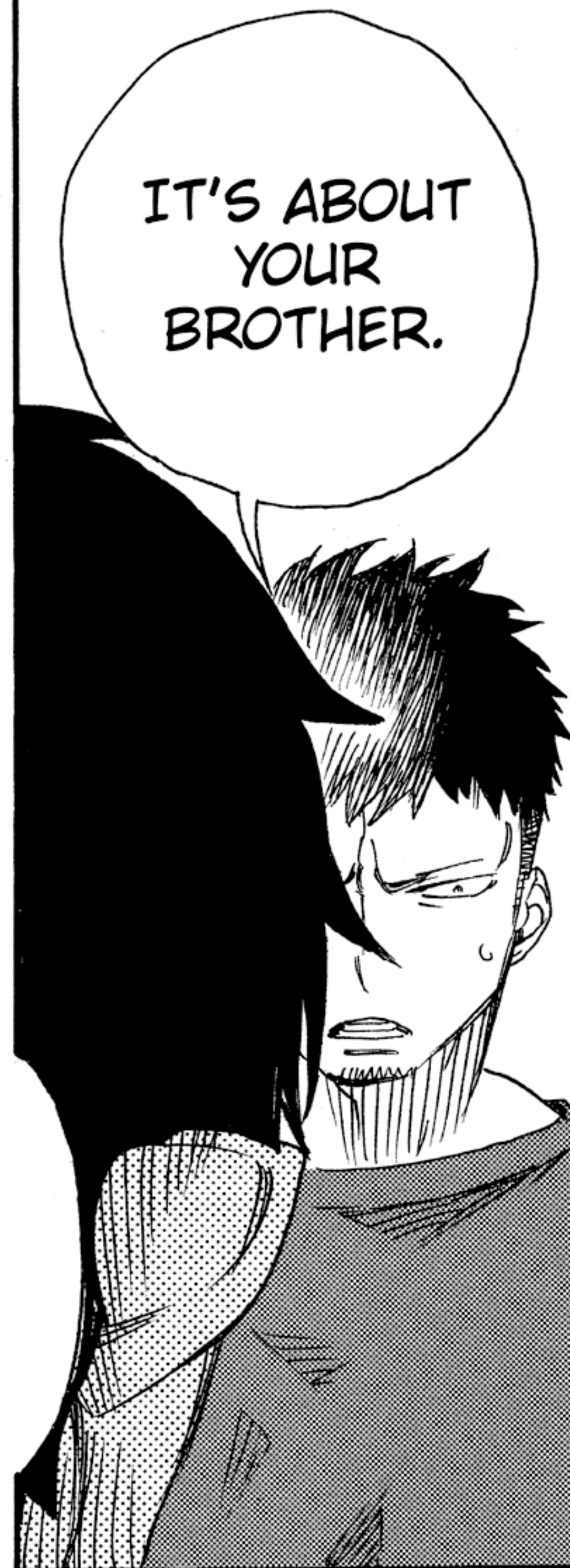
RUN THE
VIDEO!



WHAT IS THE KNIGHTS
OF THE TRUE CROSS?

SO ALLOW
ME TO FILL
YOU IN!!







**IT'S
YUKI...!!**



BLUE EXORCIST 20-END-

BLUE EXORCIST CHAPTER 93: BEYOND THE SNOW, PART 2



BLUE EXORCIST VOL. 20 CONGRATULATIONS!

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5	Kohei Yoshiyama-kun	Manga 2p	Main background, polishing, etc.
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7	Mika Obata-san	Manga 2p	Background, polishing, etc.
8	Yamanaka-san (Yama)	Manga 1p	Background, polishing, etc.
9	Mari Oda-kun	Illustration 1p	Background, polishing, mob, etc.

THIS TIME, WE'RE
COMMEMORATING
VOLUME 20!!

LET'S CELEBRATE
THE ASSISTANTS
WHO WORK
SO HARD TO
HELP WITH
MANUSCRIPTS!
EVERYONE'S BUSY,
SO THANK YOU
VERY MUCH!

I'm so
blessed!

SORRY I COULDN'T
INCLUDE A QUESTION
CORNER IN THE BONUS
CONTENT THIS TIME!!

BLUE EXORCIST VOL. 20

CONGRATULATIONS!

VOLUME 20 IS HERE!!
KAZUE IS INCREDIBLE!



● I THINK WE HAVE SUCH A FRIENDLY AND FUN WORKPLACE BECAUSE KAZUE-SAN IS SO BIGHEARTED! KEEP UP THE GREAT WORK AND NEVER CHANGE, KAZUE!



BLUE EXORCIST VOL. 20

CONGRATULATIONS!!

IN PARTICULAR, MANY RECENT DEVELOPMENTS MAKE ME WANT TO SHOUT, "YUKIOOO!!" AS I HELP OUT, I HAVE TO SUPPRESS MY EAGERNESS TO SEE WHAT COMES NEXT. AND I REALLY DO LOVE SHIMA!!

AKI SHIINA



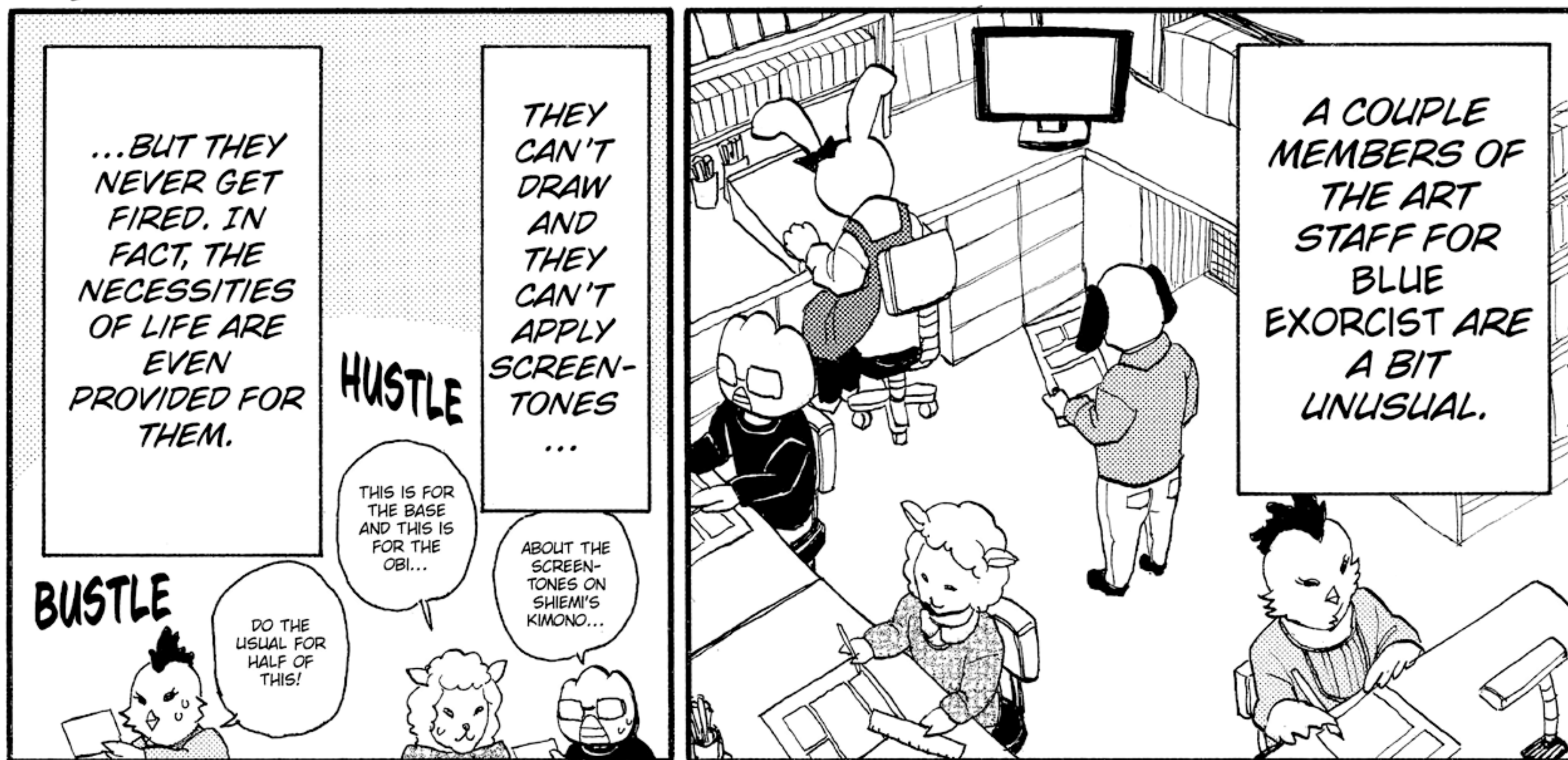
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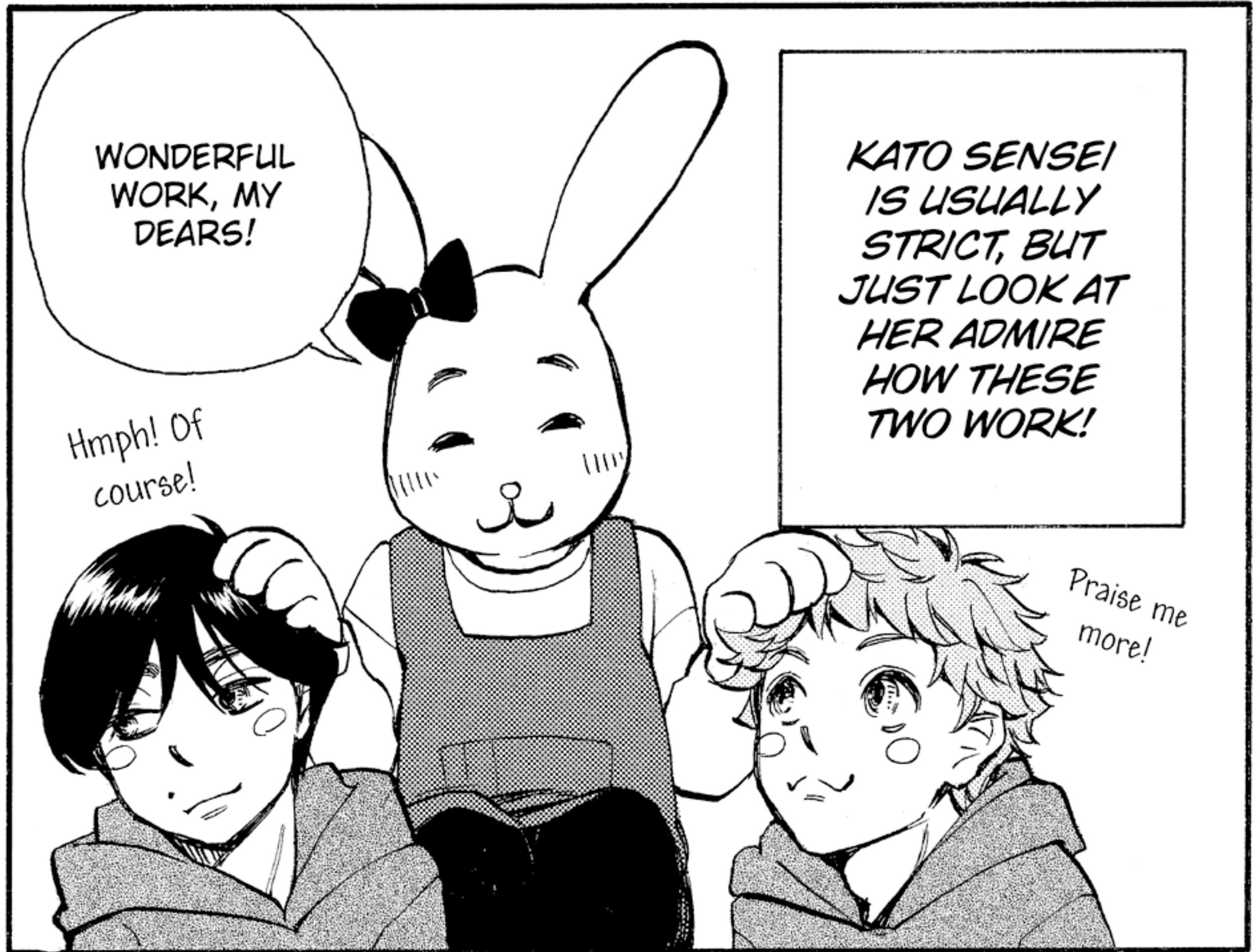
TRUE
STORY!

THE TRUTH ABOUT

THE
KATO
PROJECT

by
Sai
Yamagishi





ANIME vol. 20

I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS! MAY YUKIO FIND HAPPINESS!!





COMMEMORATING BLUE EXORCIST, VOL. 20!!!



HOW I IMAGINE KONEKOMARU IN THE FUTURE!!



Now
that's
cool!!

Are you sure
about that?
Huh?



Assistant Hayashi

Keep up the good work, Master Kazue!!!



SO I HAD
THIS GUY
SHOW UP!

NO! LOOK
CLOSELY,
PINK
SPIDER!!

IS
THAT MR.
OKU-
MURA?



RIN
LOOKS
DOWN.

IN THE
MANGA,
YUKIO'S
PROBLEMS
ARE
BOTHERING
HIM.



SALA-YUKI
SENSEI! GO
CALM
OKUMURA'S
WORRIES!

WHY IS HE JUST
OBEYING IN
SILENCE?

He's better than
the real Yukio!

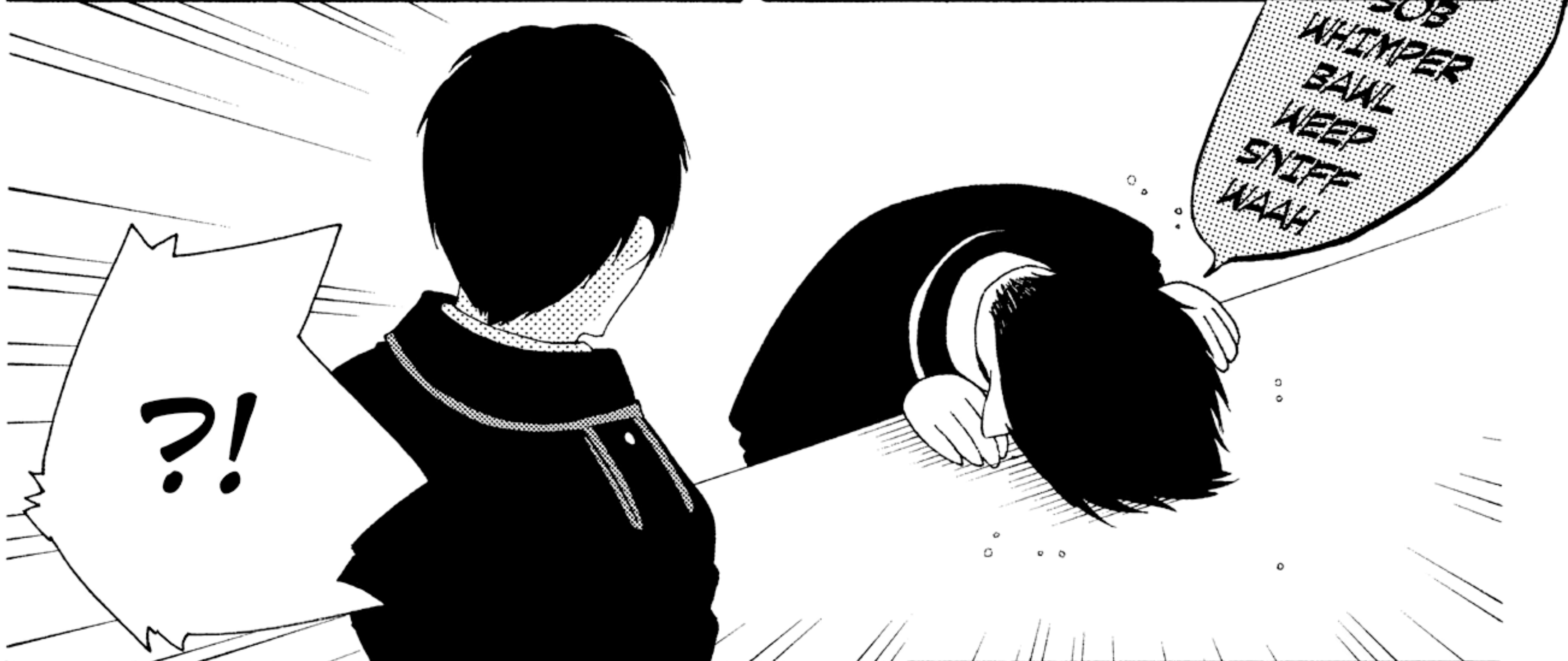


BEHOLD
HIS VAGUE
AURA OF
TOUGHNESS!

HE PERFORMS WELL
UNDER STRESS, WHICH
I REFER TO AS THE
SORROWS OF
SALARYMAN EXORCIST
YUKIO OKUMURA! THUS,
THIS VERSION OF MR.
OKUMURA IS CALLED
SALA-YUKI!!!

WHAT ARE
YOU UP
TO?!

*Used to this.



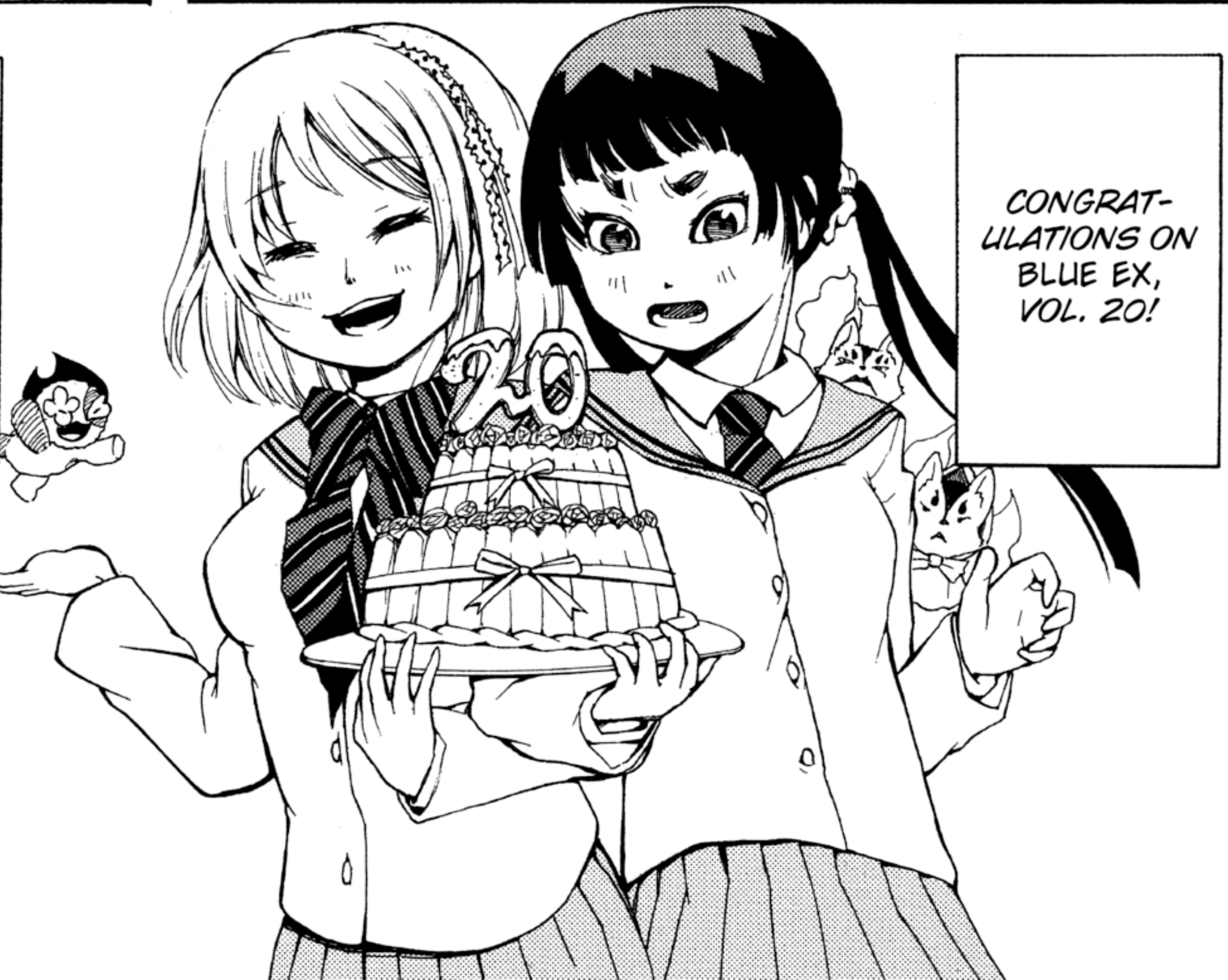
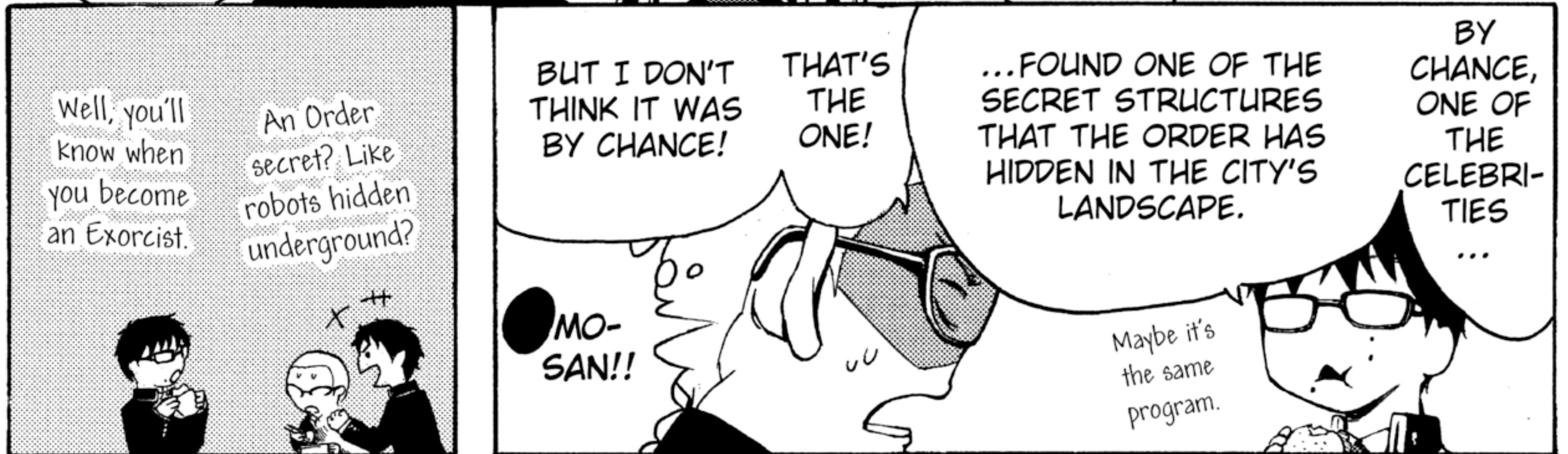
↑ REAL YUKIO

↑ SALA-YUKI / RIN (ANGEL)



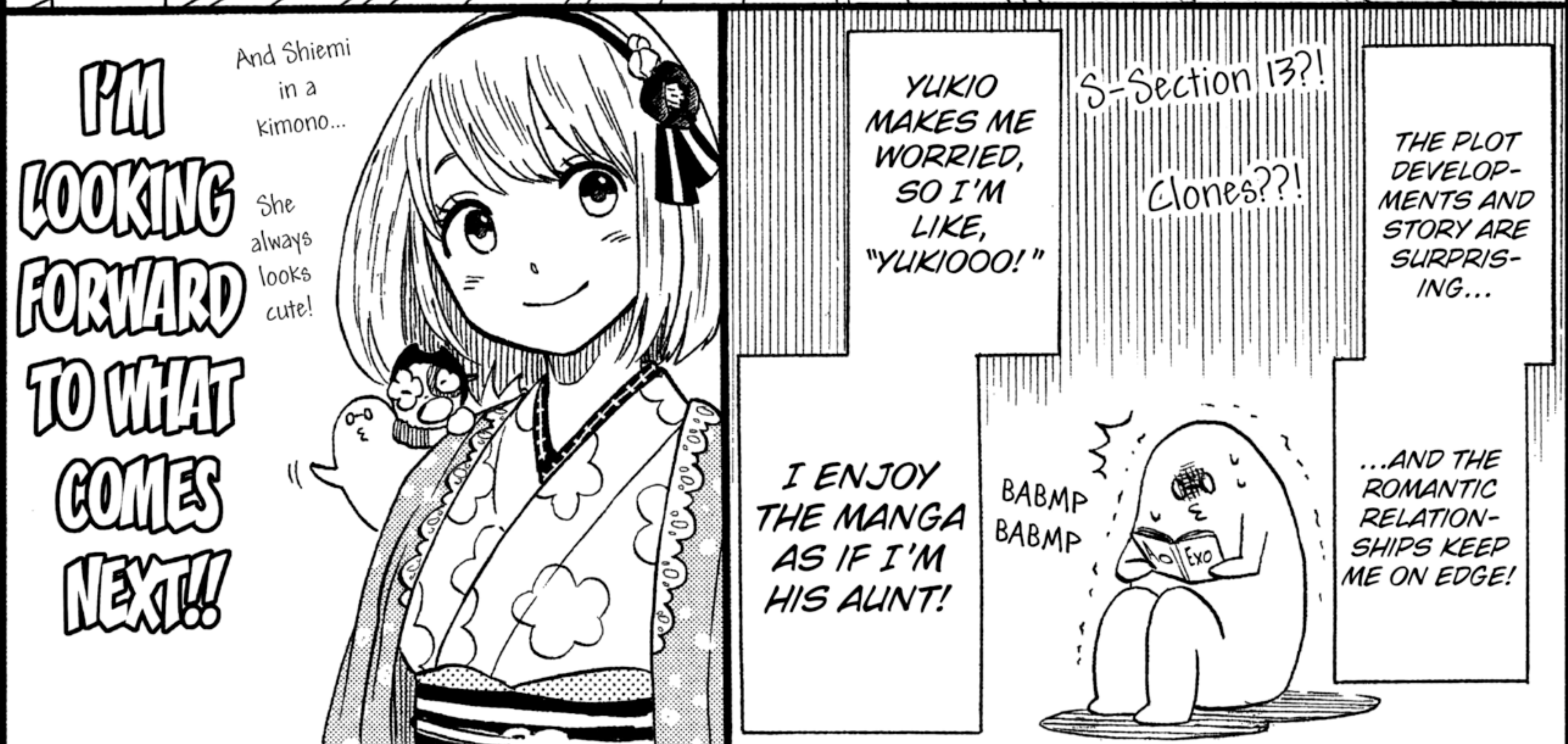
Congratulations
on vol. 20!
Uemura





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by Yama by 030



Vol.
20
CONGRATULATIONS!!










Art Staff

- DO RESIN CRAFTS TOO!  Miyuki Shibuya
- TARO WANTS TO BE PETTED FOREVER!  Erika Uemura
- THAT'S WHY YOU AREN'T POPULAR!  Ryoji Hayashi
- I'M ALIVE!  Mari Oda

Art Assistants

- IT WAS G... G!!  Yamanaka-san
- I SAID IT!  Yanagimoto-san
- SPLATOON!  Yamagishi-san
- MY QUOTA'S TOO HIGH!  Yoshiyama-kun
- A FAMILY THAT LIKES FIRE!  Obata-san

Composition Assistant

- STOP! KONEKOMARU IS A MODEL BUDDHIST!  Minoru Sasaki



Editors

- I CAN'T SELECT THE DRAGON QUEST HEROINE!  Tadahiro Fukushima
- SPLATOON! (MEDIA CHIEF)  Shihei Lin

Graphic Novel Editor

- UM... UM...  Ryusuke Kuroki

Graphic Novel Design

- I'M GONNA HOP OVER TO L.S.D.'S BAR!  Shimada Hideaki
-  Daiju Asami (L.S.D.)

Manga

- THE WORLD'S FULL OF INTERESTING STUFF!!
A room of spirit and time!  Kazue Kato

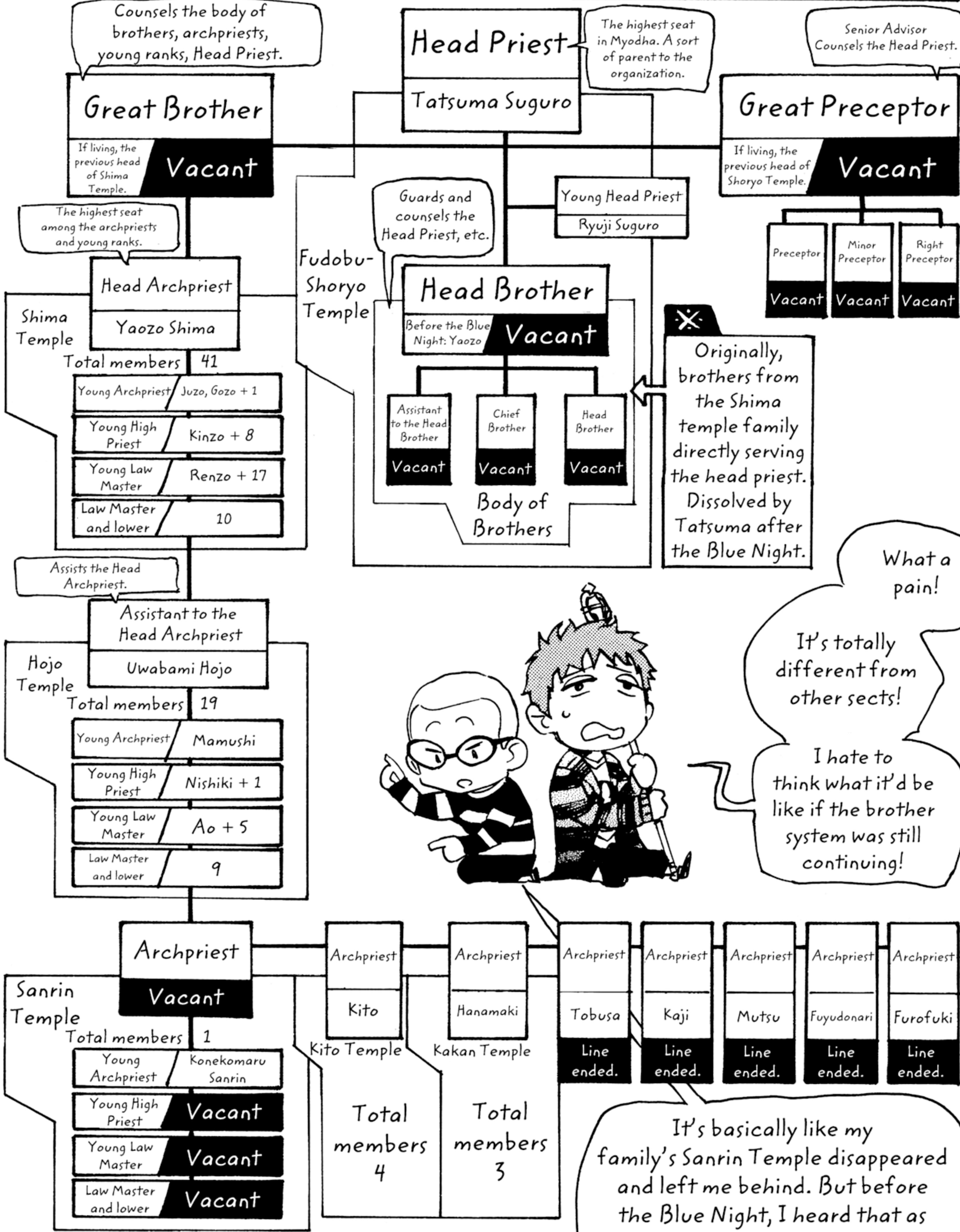
(In no particular order)

(Note: The caricatures and statements are from memory!)

In the last volume, I said the story was gonna move big-time, but it didn't really, so sorry! See you in vol. 21!!



Myo-o Dharani Organizational Chart

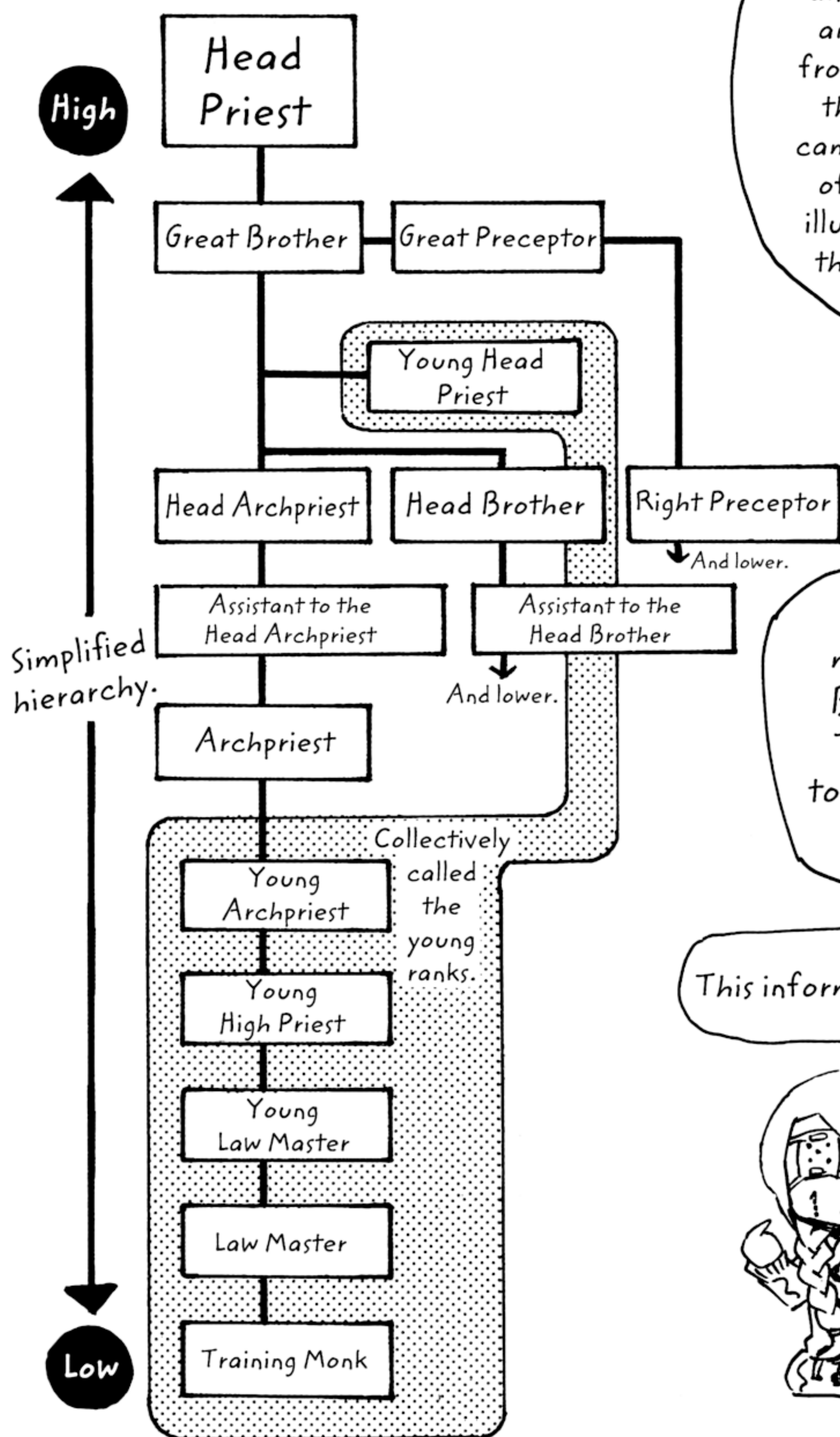


What a pain!

It's totally different from other sects!

I hate to think what it'd be like if the brother system was still continuing!

It's basically like my family's Sanrin Temple disappeared and left me behind. But before the Blue Night, I heard that as head archpriest my father oversaw a strong temple family.



Myo-o Dharani promoted a secure and stable nation against evil, demons and impurity. They learned exorcism from all times and places and mastered their own monasticism. Its members came together to protect the teachings of their founder and protect against illusion, and they gradually settled into the present organizational structure.

We lost so many in the Blue Night! There used to be over 200 of us!

This information is neither here nor there, but...

In rituals and formal settings, we customarily use Chinese readings, so I become Fuku, Ryuji is Ryoshi, Juzo is Juso and Konekomaru is Subyokan.

That organizational chart...

I applied myself to it seriously, but it was really hard!

What would the Order look like?!

And it's just bonus content, so if anything's a bit off, just overlook it!

Weird?!
Actually, it is...but still!

Koneko's is extra weird.



KAZUE KATO

HURRAY! IT'S VOLUME 20! THE SERIES HAS BEEN GOING FOR A WHOLE EIGHT YEARS NOW! IN EIGHT YEARS, A CHILD WHO WAS IN KINDERGARTEN WHEN THE SERIES STARTED WOULD NOW BE IN JUNIOR HIGH. THE PASSAGE OF TIME REALLY STRIKES FEAR INTO THIS OLD WOMAN! I'VE BEEN ABLE TO CONTINUE THIS SERIES FOR SO LONG THANKS TO THE READERS AND EVERYONE INVOLVED IN MAKING IT! THANK YOU VERY MUCH!

THERE'S A LOT MORE TO COME, SO I HOPE YOU READERS WHO ARE COMING ALONG FOR THE RIDE WILL CHECK OUT FUTURE VOLUMES TOO!

ENJOY THE MANGA!

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